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CUBA.

Landing of the Upton Expedition—The Party Dispersed by Spaniards, and the War Material Captured—Execution of the Prisoners Taken.

HAVANA, June 5.—Captain-General DE RODAS telegraphs that the filibustering expedition, which sailed from New-York on the steamer *George B. Upton*, disembarked at Punta Brava, a few miles east of Nuevitas. They were attacked by a Spanish force, 100 strong, assisted by two gun-boats, and dispersed, losing ten killed, including Capt. HARRISON. Two were drowned and three taken prisoners. A steam launch, rubber rafts and the entire cargo of arms, ammunition and medicine, which had been landed, were captured with some correspondence. The Spanish naval commander telegraphs that the munitions captured consist of two tons of powder, over 100,000 cartridges and 1,700 rifles. CISNEROS, who commanded the expedition, had sailed on the *Upton* with the balance of her cargo for Colombia for the purpose of bringing back an expedition of 200 Colombians. The editor of the *Vos de Cuba* reports that the six tuns of gunpowder, 2,000 rifles, and the entire material of the *Upton* expedition fell into the hands of the troops, and that several prisoners taken were immediately executed. None of the dispatches state when the landing was effected.

WASHINGTON, June 5.—Friends of Cuba say that large quantities of arms have lately been dispatched to the insurgents, and that additional supplies will soon be sent thither.

EUROPE.

The Roumania Massacre Denied—No Intelligence of it in London or on the Continent.

LONDON, June 5.—Dispatches from the United States announce the receipt there of reports of massacres of Jews by Christians in Roumania. No advices have reached here on the subject, and the Continental news agencies deny that there have been any recent outrages upon the Jews of Roumania. A dispatch from Bucharest states that a riot occurred last week at Botuschaly, a village in Moldavia, during a local election. It is described as an ordinary political disturbance which was quelled without the interference of the troops.

Release of the English Captives in Spain—Rejoicing in London—The Spanish Sovereignty.

MADRID, June 5.—The Englishmen captured by the Spanish brigands have been rescued, and have arrived at Gibraltar....ESPARTERO has written a letter stating that he will refuse the crown even if the Cortes decree it to him.

LONDON, June 5.—There is much rejoicing here over the release of the English captives in Spain.

The Conspiracy Trials in France—Indictment of a Number of Those Implicated—A Violent Scene in the Roman Council.

PARIS, June 5.—The Chamber of Accusation of the High Court of Justice yesterday returned indictments against a number of persons, who have been finally remanded before the High Court for trial. Forty-seven are indicted for conspiracy against the safety of the State and the life of the Emperor, twenty-two for attempt against the safety of the State, three for pillage of private property in numbers and with open force, one for attempt to pillage, one for attempt to murder, one for assassination, two for inciting to an attempt against the life of the Emperor, and one for complicity in the same crime.

LONDON, June 5.—Advices from Rome report that a violent scene occurred in the Council last week between Bishop MARET, the well-known Gallican prelate, and Cardinal BILIO, during the discussion on the infallibility question. Bitter language was used and much excitement created among the fathers.

Yachting in England—American Relations with Prussia—An "Exposition" in Vienna.

LONDON, June 5.—The Channel match of the Royal Yacht Club took place on Saturday afternoon. The course was from the Nore to Dover. The American yachts declined to enter the race. The weather was fine and the water calm. Fifteen yachts started, and the three first arrived at Dover in the following order: E. BOUTCHER's cutter *Fiona*, 78 tons, at 10 P. M.; J. MULHOLLAND's schooner *Egeria*, 161 tons, at 10:10 P. M.; J. ASHBURY's schooner *Cambria*, 199 tons, at 12 P. M.

BERLIN, June 5.—Mr. BANCROFT, the American Minister, awaits fresh instructions from Washington before proceeding with the negotiations with the Prussian Government on the subject of the rights of naturalized citizens. He has left Berlin on a visit to the South German States.

VIENNA, June 5.—An Imperial decree has been promulgated, announcing that a Universal "Exposition" will be held in this capital in 1873.

Juvenile Burglars in Worcester, Mass.—Confession of One of the Criminals.

WORCESTER, June 5.—The jewelry-store of B. STORY, in Maine-street, was robbed of $3,000 worth of watches and jewelry, and $1,000 in money, on Friday night, by two boys, nineteen years of age, one of whom, ANDREW N. HEWETT, had formerly been clerk in the store. Suspicion rested upon him and he was arrested. He confessed having committed the robbery, and implicated a boy named FRANK WARD and a woman named MARY FAIRBANKS, who had assisted in concealing the plunder. They have been arrested. Every dollar of the money and the property have been found. Part of it was buried in Millbury, part in Grafton, and the remainder was found in the woman's trunk.

The Water Supply on Beacon Hill, Boston—Fire.

BOSTON, Mass., June 5.—The experiment of supplying the dwellings on Beacon Hill with Cochituate water, from the stand-pipe on Roxbury Highlands, was tried yesterday afternoon, and resulted in throwing a stream from the "frog-pond fountain" on the Common to the height of 200 feet. It is estimated that the new arrangement, when perfected, will give a supply of water to the dome of the State-house, and render the Beacon Hill reservoir unnecessary....The building on the corner of Tremont-street and Pemberton-square, principally occupied as lawyers' offices, was damaged by fire last night to the extent of $8,000. ....MICHAEL FLYNN suffered amputation of one of his legs, at the hospital, caused by jumping from the forward end of a horse-car last night.

THE INDIANS.

Attack on a Mail-Station—Two Soldiers Killed and a Sergeant Wounded—Savages on the War-Path.

CHICAGO, Ill., June 5.—News has been received at Hays City, Kansas, that about thirty-five Indians attacked Col. NELSON's mail-station, on Bear Creek, between Camp Supply and Hays City, killing two private soldiers and wounding Sergt. MURRAY. A Mexican servant at Supply was also killed by the Indians, and sixty mules run off below that point. Mrs. KEITH, an interpreter, came into Camp Supply, reporting that the Cheyennes and a large number of the Arapahoes had gone on the war-path.

REVENUE MARINE SERVICE.

Report of the Special Commission—Character and Distribution of the Vessels—The Personnel.

WASHINGTON, June 5.—The Secretary of the Treasury has communicated to the Senate a copy of the report of the special commission appointed to "consider and report upon the character of vessels best adapted for the revenue marine service, together with such views and conclusions upon other matters as might appear to them calculated to advance the interests of the service." They propose that the vessels be classified as follows: First-class steamers to be 350 tons; second-class steamers to be 250 tons; third-class steamers to be 150 tons, and under, schooners of 250 tons and under to rate as first-class vessels, to be distributed as follows: For Atlantic and Gulf coasts, twenty steamers and three sailing vessels; for the Pacific coast, three steamers and two schooners; for the lakes, four steamers; total, thirty-two. In view of the condition of some of the vessels, their want of uniformity for the performance of duty, and their unfitness for the service, the Commission recommend that the appropriation of $300,000 now on hand be used in the construction of five steamers—one first-class, and four second class. Six of the sailing vessels can be sold, as also five steamers which the new vessels would replace. The proceeds of the sale thus obtained can be used in the construction of more steamers, and this process continued as rapidly as the exigencies of the service or public policy will permit. The *personnel* of the service will be, if the recommendations are adopted, as follows: 30 Captains, 34 First Lieutenants, 34 Second Lieutenants, 34 Third Lieutenants, 21 Chief Engineers, 15 First Assistant Engineers, 15 Second Assistant Engineers; total, 183. An efficient complement of crews for the thirty-two vessels would be 878 men, consisting of petty officers, seamen, firemen, cooks, stewards and boys. The regular employment of pilots is not only an expensive item, but is considered prejudicial to the service in leaving the officers without any incentive to acquire a proper knowledge of their cruising grounds. There is no reason why they should not make themselves acquainted with the pilot grounds of their stations, and thus save to the Government the large sum at present required for pay and rations of pilots. The employment of pilots should be exceptional. The total number of officers and men to man thirty-two vessels will be 1,061, and the annual expenditure for their maintenance $748,629.

FIRES.

Heavy Loss in Philadelphia—Several Buildings Burned.

PHILADELPHIA, Penn., June 5.—Last night, about 11 o'clock, a fire broke out in the building situated on Third-street, below Market-street, occupied by a paper-box maker. The flames spread to the double building, Nos. 15 and 17 South Third-street, the upper stories of which were burned out. The first floor was occupied by FAIRTHORNE & RAND, brokers; the second floor by the Drug Exchange, and the upper stories by J. B. CORNEL, manufacturer of ladies' dress trimmings, whose entire stock was destroyed by fire or water. The loss is heavy. The fire reached No. 13, occupied by J. M. GLASS, and others, and damaged the roof. No. 19, occupied on the first floor by W. W. LEDYARD as a law-office, was damaged about the roof.

A Foundry in Louisville Burned—Loss $90,000—One Hundred and Sixty Hands out of Work.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., June 5.—The extensive foundry and machine shop of DENNIS LONG & Co., on Ninth-street, was entirely consumed by fire yesterday afternoon. The fire originated in the pattern loft from sparks from the cupola. The loss on the building, machinery, tools and stock is $90,000, and on patterns $60,000; insurance $36,000, as follows: London, Liverpool and Globe, $15,000; North British and Mercantile, $6,000; Home, of New-York, $4,000; Franklin, of Louisville, $5,000; Louisville Insurance and Banking Company, $3,000; Germany Security, of Louisville, $3,000. One hundred and sixty hands are thrown out of employment. The surrounding buildings were on fire several times, but saved with little damage.

The Dry Weather in Maine—The Lumber Interest Suffering.

BANGOR, Me., June 5.—The hot term continues unabated, and everything is beginning to feel the need of rain. Yesterday the thermometer stood 90° in the shade, and to-day 96°. The severe and protracted drouth is seriously affecting the lumber interest. A drive belonging to WHITE, HADGON & WILDER, in Pollitwog Stream, on the west branch of the Penobscot, containing seven millions of feet of logs, has been abandoned and the crew arrived here yesterday. A drive of fifteen millions of feet, now at Seboomook Lake, on the west branch of the Penobscot, is in imminent danger of being hung up, and will be unless there is immediate and heavy rain. A drive of twenty-eight millions of feet on the Matawaumkeag is hung up. Logs are in active demand and operators make the prices for manufacturers.

Careless Anatomists—Human Remains Macerating on a Roof.

CHICAGO, Ill., June 5.—For several days past numerous complaints have been made to the Health Department of a horrible stench which has pervaded the quarter in the vicinity of Washington and Wells streets. This morning a sanitary officer went to a medical institution in the vicinity, and although the owners protested that no stench came from their building, yet the officer persisted in making an examination, and finally reached the roof, where he found a vast collection of human remains in a condition of disgusting putrefication, including bones, flesh, &c., of grown persons and infants. The nuisance was abated at once.

A British Bark Ashore on the Texas Coast.

GALVESTON, Texas, June 5.—The British bark *Palace*, from Liverpool, with an assorted cargo consigned to Messrs. HURLEY & CO., Galveston, went ashore, Wednesday night last, near San Luis Pass; she draws thirteen feet and is in ten feet of water. This is the same vessel that went ashore in Galveston Bay in the storm of October, 1867.

Miscellaneous Telegrams.

CHICAGO, Ill., June 5.—Last evening at a meeting of the Directors of the North-western Railway, JOHN F. TRACY was elected President; H. R. Pierson, Vice-President; M. L. Sykes, Second Vice-President; A. L. Pritchard, Secretary and Treasurer; J. B. Redfield, Assistant Secretary. Mr. TRACY is also President of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railroad.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., June 5.—The body of a middle-aged man was found in the Hudson at this place today. He wore a heavy black coat, heavy light-mixed cloth vest and black pants. In his pocket was found $74 40 in money and a bunch of keys. He had been in the water several months. He is thought to be the missing man JAMES JAYCOX. The body is much decomposed, and his face is not recognizable....The street cars commence running in this city regularly for the first time to-morrow.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., June 5.—A mass-meeting of Israelites was held in this city last evening. A large number of the most prominent citizens were in attendance. Resolutions were adopted expressive of horror at the late massacre in Roumania, and thanking the President of the United States and the members of Congress for the spirit displayed by them.

BANGOR, Me., June 5.—The Republican caucuses last evening nominated full sets of delegates to the State and District Convention. The delegates to the State Convention are unanimously in favor of the nomination of Gen. HERSEY.

BUFFALO, N. Y., June 5.—JAS. B. WHITTAKER, of Pittsford, N. Y., aged seventeen, a pupil of Deveraux College, was drowned Saturday afternoon a mile below Whirlpool, Niagara River, while bathing. He was there in violation of a rule of the college. The body has not yet been found.

NEW-HAVEN, Conn., June 5.—The Shore Lynne Railroad bridge at Lynne, over the Connecticut River, is completed. The first train passed over it Saturday afternoon, and trains will pass regularly after today. This will shorten the time by this route about fifteen minutes.

THE HERNAN HOMICIDE.

Funeral of the Victim—Large Concourse of Local Politicians—A Suggestive Gathering—Police Precautions.

The remains of PATRICK HERNAN, the young man who met his death on Thursday last at the hands of Officer WILLIAM BURKE while the latter was resisting an assault, were yesterday removed for burial, amid considerable excitement.

The relatives and friends of the deceased had selected the Sabbath for the funeral, and it was largely attended. HERNAN's remains were on view for several hours, and as 2 o'clock drew near Pearl-street became crowded to excess by an immense gathering of men, women and children, who watched the preliminary proceedings with great interest. In consequence of the manner of HERNAN's death, Capt. ALLAIRE, commanding the Fourth Ward Police, felt some delicacy in sending any of his officers to the residence of the family, though he kept a small force in the Station as a reserve, and sent out a section to keep the street clear for the procession when it moved.

As soon as the necessary services had been performed, the body of the deceased was brought into the street, encased in a handsome casket, and placed in a large and heavily-plumed hearse, on each side of which were ranged six pall-bearers, prominent among whom was Mr. MARK LANAGAN. Several carriages were also in attendance for the family. The procession was then formed. It consisted of the Letter-Carriers' Association, of which the deceased was a member, and numbered nearly thirty persons. There was also present the Mark Lanagan Association of sixty members, the Coopers' Association, under JOHN DRISCOLL, their President, who paraded with 400 men; the William Welsh Association one hundred strong; the Henry G. Leask Association, under the President, DENNIS SHEA, who had one hundred of his members present. The Madison Guard also paraded in citizen's dress, under command of Capt. THOMAS MCGRATH, and appeared with fully two hundred men. The procession was quickly formed, and soon moved for the ferry, there being but little confusion, and no disturbance. The members of the various associations all appeared in neat attire, though their sedate appearance and correct apparel did not prevent the spectators from forming an opinion of the denizens of the Fourth Ward not at all complimentary to the latter. In fact, the funeral was very similar to that of JAMES LOGAN No. 2, and a gathering of harder looking men could seldom be found, even in this City.

So confident were the Police authorities that a disturbance would occur among the roughs and ruffians assembled, that reserves from several of the neighboring Precincts were sent to Capt. ALLAIRE, who prudently kept them in his Station-house ready for any emergency. The arrival of these officers caused some excitement, but had, no doubt, a wholesome effect.

LAGER-BEER.

The Manufacture of the Beverage—Its Chemical Constituents—Its Effects.

There is a capital of over $100,000,000 invested in the manufacture of lager-beer in this country. Lager-beer, as it is manufactured by the German brewers, is a fermented beverage, and consists of the extract of malt (barley germinated by a watering process and then dried in a kiln) and hops and water, in which both of the first-named ingredients are boiled. It derives its name from the custom in Germany of brewing it only in Winter and storing it away, or laying back, that part of it which is destined to be consumed during the Summer months, in large, cool vaults or cellars, the German word *lager* having the definition of "stock," "store" and "stand." There are three kinds of the beverage, viz.: Winter beer, which is brewed and consumed during the Winter, the lager-beer proper, and bock-beer, which contains more malt extract than lager-beer, and is therefore the strongest of the three. The chemical constituents of lager-beer are, according to Prof. JUSTUS VON LIEBIG, the renowned German chemist, as follows: Alcohol from 2.9 to 5 per cent.; solid substances, as starch-gum, sugar and vegetable albumen, from 4 to 8 per cent.; carbonic acid from 0.15 to 0.18 per cent.; water from 88.5 to 92 per cent. The proportion of alcohol contained in it is small, as appears from the above analysis, and in this respect it widely differs from distilled liquors. Lager-beer is a spirituous beverage, and is intoxicating if taken in excessive quantities. According to LIEBIG's doctrine it produces in the human body nothing but fat. MOLESCHOTT, the well-known German naturalist, says that good lager-beer is just as nutritious a fruits are. The hop-bitter contained in lager-beer, according to some authorities, imparts to it tonic properties which make it an invigorating beverage. Lager-beer, these authorities assert, favors the process of digestion by increasing the quantity of digestive secretions in the stomach- and strengthens the muscular activity, when relaxed by sickness or long exertion. Good lager-beer is considered by prominent German physiologists quite as healthful to the human body, as tea and coffee. On the other hand, hop-bitter has a somnolent effect. It prevents the beverage from getting sour. Lager-beer seems to be altogether a German invention, and even in this country its manufacture is almost exclusively in the hands of Germans. Large quantities of it are brewed every Winter, and even, to some extent, during the Summer, in places where there is a large German population—for instance, in this City, in Newark, N. J., in Philadelphia, Baltimore, Cincinnati, St. Louis, Chicago, Milwaukee and many smaller places, chiefly at the West. The lager-beer brewed and sold at Milwaukee, Wis., is considered the best and cheapest of this country. It is the opinion of experienced brewers that the quality and taste of lager-beer depend to some degree upon the water used for it. The sensible Germans of the old country as well as of this, like those of all other nations, consider fresh water the best and healthiest of all drinks. If they feel inclined to take something stronger, when exhausted by hard work or as a matter of social custom, they prefer wine to lager-beer. But the wine is more expensive. As a rule, however, they prefer fermented lager-beer to whisky and other distilled liquors. The quantity of lager-beer consumed in this City is relatively larger than in any other city in the Union, although it cannot be maintained that the Germans of this City individually drink more lager than the Germans of Cincinnati, St. Louis or Chicago. Besides the home-made beverage, lager-beer manufactured at Newark, N. J., Philadelphia, Cincinnati, Toledo, Ohio, and other places of this country, and sometimes even foreign lager-beer, imported from Germany, is drank in this City.

Whitsunday at St. Alban's.

The festival of Whitsuntide, or Pentecost, was celebrated with the usual solemnities in the churches both of the Catholic and Episcopal denomination. At St. Albans there was a solemn high mass at 10½ A. M., Rev. Father MORRELL acting as celebrant and Rev. Father NOYES as deacon. The musical exercises were adaptations from MOZART, GOUNOD and MERBECK. There were solemn vespers at this church last evening. The congregation in attendance at both services was large, completely filling the edifice. The celebrant of the mass was habited in a beautifully embroidered cape. The altar was choicely draped and fitted up with floral offerings. After the reading of the first gospel, Father NOYES ascended the pulpit, and preached a sermon based upon the Scripture narration of the descent of the Holy Ghost upon the Apostles, setting forth that this sending of the comforter to them was the fulfillment of the divine promise, and the organization of the Church. There was a large number of communicants at the mass. The mass was celebrated in the same manner as is usual with all solemn celebrations here, and as has already been fully described in the TIMES.

EUROPEAN MAIL NEWS.

ARRIVAL OF THE STEAM-SHIP WESER.

The mails of the steam-ship *Weser*, which vessel left Bremen May 21, and Southampton May 24, and reached this port Saturday night, were delivered at this office yesterday. The advices they contain are later by two days than were those at hand by the *China*, on Wednesday.

The *Scotsman* says that letters have been received announcing that Mr. ARCHIBALD GEIKIE, the geologist, who has been on a scientific expedition to the Lipara Islands, was stricken by fever soon after his arrival there, and has suffered so much in health that he has been compelled to abandon his researches, and is now on his way home.

An aggregate meeting of the Jewish congregations of Manchester had been held at the Derby-street School-rooms, Cheetham, in Manchester, "to unite in a petition to Parliament for the abolition of the University tests." There was a numerous attendance.

A communication from Vienna states that since the publication in Austria of the laws on religious liberty, a movement has arisen in the population of that city, which is, to say the least of it, a strange one. In the course of less than two years about 680 persons, of both sexes, have abjured Christianity for the Jewish faith, and what is curious is that these perversions are on the increase.

The *Times* of May 22, says that the new Cunard liner *Abyssinia*, of 3,600 tons, went out upon her Admiralty trial on the previous Friday, and ran the measured mile at Wemyss Bay at the rate of fifteen knots per hour. The *Abyssinia* is one of the four new ships fitting out in the Clyde to carry the mails between England and America, under Messrs. CUNARD, BURNS, and MCIVER's contract, which, it will be remembered, they obtained from Her Majesty's Government for eight years, at £70,000 a year. The vessel is one of the finest specimens of naval architecture. The *Abyssinia* is unlike any of the Cunard steamers now afloat, as she is a four decker, and with her heavy iron masts and plumb stem, looks more like a line-of-battle ship than a vessel destined for the great marine service of the Cunard Company.

Count BEUST had addressed a circular to the Austrian diplomatic representatives abroad, respecting the programme of Count POTOCKI's Cisleithan Cabinet. The circular states that this programme contemplates the establishment of a popular Parliament, secure from future mutations by virtue of its election by direct suffrages, and which shall embody the nation's wishes within the limits of the present Constitution, and in no other manner. The appeal to universal suffrage is to be preceded by the dissolution of the Reichsrath and of the several Cisleithan Diets. To the new Diets a plan will be submitted for the enlargement of their autonomy, which will subsequently require to be submitted for approval to the Reichsrath. The Diets will at the same time be called upon to sanction direct elections for the Reichsrath upon a liberal basis. The programme also proposes to strengthen the Upper House by the election of some representatives from the several Cisleithan Diets. In case the Diets refuse to sanction the proposed electoral reform, the Government will be constitutionally empowered to order direct elections. In conclusion, the circular asserts that the Government has had no intention to convoke an Assembly of Notables, but had ever since the commencement of its constitutional action desired to arrive at a mutual understanding by taking direct counsel with the leaders of all parties and nationalities.

SPAIN.

The Crown of Spain—Espartero's Declination of the Diadem.

The following is the correspondence between PRIM and ESPARTERO, carried by Señor MADOZ:

GEN. PRIM TO GEN. ESPARTERO.

SERENISSIMO SENOR: The Government of his Highness, the Regent of the Kingdom, believe the time has come to terminate the revolutionary work with the election of a monarch. The worthy Ministers of the present Government, over which I have the honor to preside, are animated by the most patriotic sentiments.

On treating of the name of a monarch, the friends of your Highness suggest that of the pacificator of Spain for this post.

Duly authorized by the Government, as on analogous occasions, I will esteem it a favor of your Highness if you will deign to tell us if you will accept the crown of Spain, in case the Cortes elect you.

The Government have no candidate, but this makes it their duty to prevent any fraction agitating in favor of a candidate who would not accept.

Your Highness will comprehend the patriotism with which the Government work in this case by consulting you as they do, hereby remitting this letter by our old friend, His Excellency Senor DON PASCUAL MADOZ, Deputy to the Cortes, who is most attached to Your Highness.

I remain, with the greatest consideration, &c.,
EL MARQUES DE LOS CASTILLEJOS.

GEN. ESPARTERO TO GEN. PRIM.

To His Excellency the Marques de los Castillejos:

YOUR EXCELLENCY: His Excellency Señor DON PASCUAL MADOZ has delivered to me the communication of your Excellency, asking me if I would accept the crown of Spain in case the Cortes elected me. I feel in the depth of my heart the consideration I owe to the Government over which your Excellency so worthily presides, and I must say that I am ever disposed to give my life for the liberty and the good of my country; but a duty of conscience obliges me respectfully to decline that which would not be possible for me to accept that exalted charge, for my health and my years would not permit me to discharge it.

I remain, with all consideration, &c.,
EL DUQUE DE LA VICTORIA.

PORTUGAL.

The Successful Military Insurrection in Lisbon—Consequent Sensation in Madrid—Saldanha in Favor of an Iberian Union.

Madrid (May 20) Correspondence Times.

The news of the successful military insurrection in Lisbon has created a great sensation in Madrid, as might be expected from the close connection between Spain and Portugal. Some months ago I wrote you an account of the state of popular dissatisfaction with the Ministry of the Duke DE LOULE, to whom the young King stuck with such pertinacity, and of the quarrel between the Prime Minister and the Duke DE SALDANHA. Since then the agitation, led on by the veteran soldier, the head of the army, has continued, and culminated yesterday in his forcing the King to dismiss the Ministry, and to substitute one under himself. At 1 o'clock yesterday morning he placed himself, notwithstanding the weight of eighty-two years, at the head of a few regiments, which, to the cry of "Viva Saldanha," marched to the royal palace. The regiments garrisoning the palace had a short encounter with them, resulting in a few killed and wounded on both sides, and the ultimate fraternization of the two forces. SALDANHA then entered the palace, and held a long conference with the King, who, yielding to the pressure, sent for the Duke DE LOULE, and told him the Ministry must resign, and be replaced by one under SALDANHA, which was instantly done. By 8 o'clock, it is said, the soldiers had returned to their quarters, and perfect tranquility reigned. Until more details are known, it is impossible to say whether SALDANHA merely aimed at a change of Ministries, or whether the affair may not end in a change of dynasties, and possibly in hastening the union of Spain and Portugal. This idea is very much believed in here, and it is said to have been long a pet scheme of SALDANHA's.

The Spanish Government received the following telegram yesterday afternoon from their Ambassador in Lisbon, Señor FERNANDEZ DE LOS RIOS:

LISBON, May 19.

At 1 o'clock this morning there broke out simultaneously in the Castle of St. George and in the Infantry Barrack No. 9, an insurrectionary movement, initiated to the cry of "*Viva Saldanha!*" The greater part of the Tenth Regiment, and the half of the battalions of Nos. 2 and 16, with some artillery, joined in it. SALDANHA placed himself at their head, and directed himself to the Palace. The Palace was garrisoned by the First Regiment of Infantry and some lancers and artillery. On the approach of SALDANHA's column, the garrison opened fire, which was replied to by the former, and there were some killed and wounded on both sides. The garrison ultimately went over to SALDANHA, who entered the palace at 4 o'clock this morning. After a long conference with His Majesty, the Duke DE LOULE was sent for, and presented the resignation of the Ministry. SALDANHA was then charged with the formation of a new one, remaining himself as President and Minister of War. All the troops returned to their quarters. The population presented their ordinary aspect. It is said that in Oporto and other places there have been movements and manifestations, but this is not yet confirmed.

After the reading of this dispatch in the Cortes, Minister RIVERO, in reply to a question, said the Spanish Government were not aware what banner the Duke DE SALDANHA had raised, but they all knew who he was and what he wanted. The Deputies could form their own opinions on the events, but the Government had to maintain a prudent reserve.

In political circles here a belief exists that the Duke DE SALDANHA intends to do all he can in favor of the Iberian union. Were such a plan accomplished, it would certainly put an end to some of the vexed questions now agitating Spain.

THE ENGLISH TRAGEDY.

The Seven-Fold Murder near Uxbridge—A Whole Family Butchered.

From the Daily News, May 24.

One of the most extraordinary tragedies which has taken place for many years was discovered last evening at the village of Denham, about two miles from Uxbridge. It seems that a family named MARSHALL resided at a cottage in that village, the husband carrying on business as an engineer. Besides MARSHALL, there lived in the cottage his wife and three children, whose ages ran between three and nine years, and also the mother and sister of MARSHALL. This day (Tuesday) had been fixed for the marriage of the sister, and it is to the fact of her wedding dress being brought home that the discovery of the murder is to be attributed. Nothing had been seen of the murdered persons since Saturday; but upon a young girl going to the cottage yesterday with the garment referred to, and gaining no reply, the neighbors had their suspicions aroused, and an entry was soon effected into the house. A scene of the most horrible description then presented itself. On the ground-floor the bodies of Mrs. MARSHALL and her sister-in-law were found quite dead—the former lying on her back, and the latter, who had her night-dress on and was evidently preparing for bed, was placed across her. Both had their heads fearfully mutilated, and the absence of blood about the place was remarked by those who witnessed the dreadful discovery. At the right hand, on entering the cottage, and near the fire-place, three children belonging to MARSHALL were also found with their heads frightfully battered, and also quite dead. The mother of MARSHALL was likewise found, having been brutally murdered in the same way; and on entering the shop where MARSHALL had been at work, wearing a smock-frock, his body was also found. It was covered with sacks, and it was apparent that he had had a desperate struggle. His hands were scratched in several places, and there were marks as if he had been dragged about the ground. His head had also been beaten in in the same manner as those of the other victims. There was another child belonging to MARSHALL—a little boy, aged sixteen months—who had been sent to his grandmother's to be "out of the way" during the wedding of MARSHALL'S sister; and but for that circumstance there is no doubt that the small and the little creature would have been added to the list of the murdered members of the family. The medical gentlemen called were Drs. FERRIS and MACNAMARA, and it is their opinion that the awful deed has been perpetrated as long since as Saturday night or Sunday morning. The coroner for the district is unable, up to the present time, to obtain any clue as to the murderer, or the cause of the dreadful crime. A forge hammer and an ordinary ax—with which the murders are supposed to have been committed—have been discovered with traces of blood upon them. Whatever the motive for which the murderer or murderers—for it seems difficult to imagine the fearful work can have been done by one person—robbery does not seem to have been the object, for nothing appears to have been disturbed; the rings and several articles of jewelry worn by the unfortunate persons not having been removed.

The excitement in the village is intense. MARSHALL and his wife and sister were, it is said, much respected by their neighbors.

CHRISTIAN CONGRESS.

Meeting in London in Approval of the Proposed Conference in New-York of Protestant Christians of all Nations.

A public meeting was held, May 23, at the Mansion House, in London, to take into consideration the proposed Conference, to be held at the invitation of Christians, at New-York, in the month of September next. The Lord Mayor was in the chair. The company included Lord Chichester, Lord Alfred Churchill, the Bishop of Ripon, Rev. T. Binney, Mr. Kennaway, M. P., Rev. Dr. Stoughton, &c. The Lord Mayor, in opening the proceedings, explained that, although the meeting was called by the friends of the Evangelical Alliance, it was not a meeting of that body, since many present, like himself, were not members of it. His own opinion was that this invitation from America should be answered by the whole people of England, and that could best be done by a meeting held in London, at the Mansion House, and presided over by the Lord Mayor. Our common Protestantism was no doubt overlaid by a great amount of noise, and the time was come when calmly and quietly as Christians they should submit that there was such a thing left in the world as a sound, old Protestantism. It was their duty to uphold the evangelical strength of the people of America. Rev. Dr. STEANE explained how the meeting had arisen, and reviewed the Conferences previously held in London, Paris, Berlin, Geneva and Amsterdam. The Earl of CHICHESTER moved, "That the meeting, having heard with much interest the statements explaining the objects and arrangements for carrying out the proposed Conference of Christians of various lands about to be held in the United States, are of opinion that there are indications in the present day, especially in the state of Christian Europe, that loudly call for united action on the part of all who love the Lord Jesus Christ in spirit and in truth. They hail, therefore, with satisfaction the projected Conference, as likely in their judgment to exercise a beneficial influence upon nations, and upon the Church of God throughout the world." He agreed that the present times were such that there was a peculiar obligation upon all Christians to endeavor to unite more than they had ever hitherto done. The Bishop of Ripon, in seconding the resolution, said that, although not a member of the Evangelical Alliance, he sympathized with the present movement, because he believed the Conference would be a most important manifestation to the world of the deep unity which existed among real Christians. Protestants were often taunted with a want of unity, and it was said the only church which possessed unity was the corrupt and apostate Church of Rome. That assumption was utterly false. However much Protestants might be divided upon non-essentials, they were agreed upon all fundamental articles of faith; and the points upon which they agreed were more than those upon which they differed. The approaching Conference, he believed, would be a witness to Protestant truth, and a proof that it was not a mere negation. Rev. T. BINNEY supported the motion. He had been honored by a direct invitation to the Conference, and very much regretted his inability to make the necessary effort. It was exceedingly appropriate that while a Council was sitting at Rome with the object of spreading all over the world a system of error and superstition, a Conference of Evangelical Protestants should be held in the New World. He was much obliged to Mr. DISRAELI, the late lamented parable, *Lothair*, which was one of the finest anti-Romanist publications he had ever seen. On the motion of Mr. MACFIE, M. P., seconded by Dr. BLACKWELL, and supported by Mr. KENNAWAY, M. P., thanks were voted to the Americans for their kind invitation, and hopes were expressed that the peace, and amity, and christianity which both countries desired, would be much strengthened by the Conference. A vote of thanks to the Lord Mayor, on the motion of Lord ALFRED CHURCHILL, Hon. Mr. JOCELYN, and Rev. Mr. JOBSON, President of the Wesleyan Conference, concluded the proceedings.

CONSTITUTIONAL FRANCE.

The Acceptance of the Plebiscitum by the Nation—The French Press on the Emperor's After-speech.

The address of the Emperor NAPOLEON in acknowledgment of the formal announcement of the results of the vote on the *plebiscitum*, delivered in Paris, May 21, appeared in full in the TIMES of the following day. We append the opinions of the principal French journals on the speech. The general opinion among the moderate papers of all shades is favorable. The *Journal des Débats* regarded the sentiments expressed as liberal, and, if acted upon in a judicious spirit, they may tend to the restoration of public confidence in the Government and the Chamber. The organs of the extreme Right, the *Pays* and the *Peuple*, are equally satisfied, and interpret the sentences specially addressed to the Legislative body as a pledge that the present Chamber will be permitted to complete the legal term of its existence. The *Patrie*, the *Constitutionnel*, and the *Moniteur* unreservedly approve the speech, while the *Francais* rejoices to find the Emperor no longer condemns a Parliamentary system, but takes exception to the statement that the constitution is now beyond all controversy, as it holds that the various measures of reform indicated by the Emperor, and which it thoroughly approves, can only be properly carried out by the further development of political freedom. The clerical *Univers* is dissatisfied with the speech, which appears to it to have been conceived under the influence of one dominant idea—that of authority; but its special objection consists in the fact that no allusion is made to religious interests. The *Presse* approved the speech, but considers that it will be impossible to prevent constitutional discussions. The *Journal de Paris* congratulates the Emperor upon his moderation and good sense in resisting the reactionary suggestions of those who would have had him convert the great plebiscitary victory into an excuse for adopting a retrograde policy. The *Liberté* considers the speech an honest and straightforward declaration, and the *Opinion Nationale* is pleased to find in it no indication of a desire to retrograde upon the questions of prestige or of personal power, but it does not admit that the present Constitution is so perfect as to preclude the necessity for discussing improvements in the future. The *Gazette de France*, on the contrary, sees in the speech a renewed eclaration of the right of personal government—a view which is shared by the *Union*. The *Temps* is not pleased with the speech, in which it finds no trace of a real desire to adopt in practice real liberal principles. The *Rappel* and the other "Red" journals, of course; condemn it upon many and opposite grounds; but all merging into the usual formula of that party—that under the Empire liberty is impossible, that Parliamentary government, as at present practised, is a sham, and that only under a Republic can the real wishes of France be carried out and her glory and prosperity be assured.

Death of a Noted Tenant of the French War Office.

The French papers announce the death of Jacko, the famous parrot in the War Office in Paris. Jacko was first brought into the office in 1830, by Marshal SOULT, and he remained for forty years at his post, unaffected by revolutions or party conflicts. After a time he came to be looked upon as an indispensable appendage of the War Department, and when there was a Cabinet crisis people used to ask who was to get, not the War Office portfolio, but the War Office parrot. Though he served under eighteen different Ministers, he always remained consistent to the principles which were instilled into him when he first entered office. Both under the Republic and the Second Empire he remained a staunch royalist, and there were few members of his party who spoke their minds with so much frankness. One day his repeated cries of "Vive le roi" so annoyed Marshal LEROY DE ARNAUD when he was War Minister that he ordered the indiscreet bird to be turned out. Jacko had a friend, however, in the porter, who took him into his lodge and taught him to add, "DE ST. ARNAUD" to his usual cry. The bird was then put back into his room, and as the Marshal was passing screamed out, "Vive le roi DE ST. ARNAUD!" "A la bonne heure," said the Minister, and Jacko was at once retaken in favor. Of late years the clerks tried to teach him "Vive l'Empereur!" but he never could bring out the entire sentence without tremendous efforts. He got on very well as far as "Vive l'Empe—" but at this point he seemed to choke, his feathers stood on end, and his eyes rolled with an anxious expression as if he felt his conscience reproaching him. At last, after several minutes' intense struggling, he would jerk out the last syllable "—reur" in a hoarse, sepulchral tone. He died immediately after the Duchess of BERRY, and on the anniversary of the death of NAPOLEON I., three days before the *plebiscitum*.

THE CANADIAN TROUBLE.

Singular Attitude of the Toronto "Globe"—What the Popular Sentiment Really is—The Grand Trunk Railway—The Crops.

From Our Special Correspondent.

KINGSTON, Thursday, June 2, 1870.

As I wrote you yesterday from Montreal, the prompt and decided action of the United States Government in arresting Gens. O'NEIL, GLEASON, DONNELLY and other leaders in the Fenian organization who have made themselves conspicuous in the recent troubles along the frontier, is being met by a generous recognition on this side by the great bulk of the people. This is the more noticeable in consequence of the bitterness displayed by the Toronto *Globe*, a paper that wields great influence in the Province of Ontario, and frequently moulds public opinion. The editorials in the *Globe* relative to the Fenian raid have been marked by excessive rancor until the people have begun to wonder at the cause. When the Fenians first began their aggressive movements on the border, the tone of this newspaper escaped general observation amid the excitement that naturally prevailed. But as the actual situation began to be fully understood it was noticed more generally, as it stood alone in a great measure in its persistent vituperation and abuse of President GRANT and his Administration. The *Glob

NEW PUBLICATIONS.

HENRIETTA TEMPLE; A Love Story. By Right Hon. B. DISRAELI. New-York: D. APPLETON & CO. 1870.

The comet-like success of *Lothair* is of course followed by a train of all the old starlets and asteroids of fiction that first embellished Mr. DISRAELI's political course, illumined his peculiar and versatile genius, and now assist in making up the constellation of his fame. After *Lothair*, as is natural, we are to have new editions of *The Young Duke*, *Venitia*, *Comingsby*, and the rest. *Henrietta Temple* is unique in this: It is a love story pure and simple. It is so old-fashioned in tone, so strained in metaphor, so extravagant in hyperbole, that to modern eyes—we know not whether to rejoice or to grieve that it is so—it seems almost ridiculous. The letters of Ferdinand to Henrietta can only be exceeded for overwrought passion and rhetorical flourish by one thing in the world, and that is the letters of Henrietta to Ferdinand. We are irresistibly reminded, in reading either correspondence, of burlesque, and we ask ourselves whether this is the fault of the letters or our own. Have we become so passionless, so businesslike and so automatic that the outgush of pure young hearts, meeting each other with all the rapture of first love, is merely absurd? Or are the missives themselves intrinsically exaggerated and silly? No doubt both questions may be truthfully answered in the affirmative. We have not, as a rule, sufficient sympathy with the spontaneous effusion of youthful passion. The hard clash of worldly competition, the marriage of convenience, the habit of concealing genuine emotion, which so naturally leads to the encouragement of satirical literature and to ironical habits of expression—all tend to make a love story like *Henrietta Temple* appear stilted and unreal. The master passion is not conveyed in our day by the words and phrases that imparted it in the last century, or even fifty years ago. Compare the love-making in RICHARDSON's novels, or even that in the "School for Scandal," with the love-making of ANTHONY TROLLOPE's stories, or of plays like "School," and it becomes plain enough how unsuited is the language of our ancestors to the modern requirements of our own day. Love itself has not changed—at least, we will hope it has not—but the speech that describes it has undergone greater mutations than our dress, so that the love-talk of three generations back seems to us as funny as the hoops, and ruffs, and buckles, and knee-breeches of the same period. For all this, there is about both a certain archæological curiosity, and, with reflection, we shall see that there is something more. No observant eye can fail to perceive that there is a growing tendency to revert to the antique, so that what we thought in youth almost unpleasantly old-fashioned, is becoming now that which is most in vogue—the supremest *ton*. Our costumes, our books, our furniture, are all reverting to the models and tastes of the last century, or even to those of an earlier date, so that the ladies and the libraries and the drawing-rooms, whose appearance is most suggestive of our great-great-grandmothers, are in the highest fashion of our own immediate time. And this prompts the momentous question, may not our modes of expression return, like those of our attire and equipage, to the old forms? May not the high-flung chivalry, the romantic polysyllables of Capt. Armine, again come to be regarded, as Mr. DISRAELI when he wrote them evidently regarded them, as the choicest type of well-bred gallantry? There is fair warrant for the supposition. At all events we may be wise to avoid laughing at what fashion may in no long time require us in good faith and sober earnest to employ. But with all allowance for this possibility, and with all admiration for the luxuriant imagination and dramatic susceptibility which give Mr. DISRAELI so keen a feeling for the accessories of situation and the development of character, it cannot be denied that his sentiment is sometimes out of drawing, or what we Yankees might call "highfalutin'" The disposition which is chastened and toned down in *Lothair*, in *Henrietta Temple* is vivid, if not glaring. Still, the latter story will be read with great interest, even by those to whom it is a tale twice told. It is pleasant to recur to the warmth and delicious ecstacy of early feeling, even when it can never more revive for us. And among winding green lanes, amid the scent of flowers and new-mown hay, or among the rocks and sands that lean down to the sea, we can fancy that many will read *Henrietta Temple* this season with lively, and some with tearful interest, while they rejoice that the versatile author has erred in the way he has, rather than—like the majority of late novelists—on a side precisely opposite.

MISS VAN KORTLAND. A Novel. By the Author of "My Daughter Elinor." New-York: HARPER & BROTHERS. 1870.

In a different sense from the verses spoken of in SHERIDAN's play, the book before us presents a rivulet of narrative meandering through a meadow of unnecessary accompaniments of character and dialogue. The storyrelates to the love making of four pretty-well-defined personages, in whose fate the author makes us feel tolerably interested. The adjuncts chiefly consist of the sayings and doings of sundry very tiresome people, who are intended to appear eccentric but who become merely unbearable. The humor of the book has been apparently thrown in on the same principle as that on which low comic parts are introduced into melodrama, and is equally disconnected with the main action of the tale. The mining districts of Pennsylvania must be extremely favorable to odd developments of character, if we may judge by the profusion of originals to which the author introduces us in that locality. An acquaintance with them in real life must, however, be somewhat depressing, if they are as equally destitute of individual variety as the samples depicted here. There is throughout the book an amount of iteration of the same characteristic remarks by these people, that is significant either of sad poverty of expression among the originals themselves, or a wonderful lack of invention in their describer. The leading characters are drawn in a way which suggests a somewhat weak imitation of the author of *Guy Livingstone*. The central figure, Gay Van Kortland, is a New-York belle possessing more than the usual power of fascination joined to an amazing brilliancy of talk, and a considerable contempt for social conventionalities. Her admirer-in-chief, Noel Seaton, is one of those lazy, cynical, versatile and rather unprincipled gentlemen who have become so popular in one class of modern fiction. The prevalence of the type will be recognized in touches like these: "The delicate white hand that looked as fine as a woman's," but "was strong and unyielding as an iron palm in a velvet glove, and the graceful, almost femininely perfect frame, with its slow, indolent movements," which "was capable of supporting fatigues that a person with twice his appearance of strength could not have endured." We could suggest to the author, who has shown himself capable of better things, that to the mass even of ordinary readers this sort of writing has become very stale, and that by one who appears honestly anxious to cultivate the scanty crop of native fiction, the exhausted mannerism of English writers ought to be carefully avoided. Nor can we say that the device by which the lovers of the story are made to keep up a mutual misunderstanding until the last chapter but one, is at all probable or intelligible. There is some natural and affecting writing in describing the intercourse between Margaret Dane and Alan Prescott, but the portraits of both are too hazily outlined to awaken the interest which ought to have attached to the current of their affection. Altogether, *Miss Van Kortland* is of a very unequal and disappointing character, though in parts giving evidence of a power which, directed into a proper channel, would be productive of more enduring results.

A TREATISE ON THE CHRISTIAN DOCTRINE OF MARRIAGE. By HUGH DAVEY EVANS, LL.D. With a Biographical Sketch of the Author, and an Appendix containing Bishop Andrews' "Discourse against Second Marriage," &c. Now printed for the first time in this country. New-York: Published by HURD & HOUGHTON.

This is a valuable contribution to literature, and its appearance is timely. The author was a learned and able lawyer of Baltimore, who died two years ago and left this book, the result of years of careful study and judicious thought, with the request that it should be published after his death. The work is divided into fifteen chapters. The first sets forth the relations between law, public opinion and conscience, asserting the supremacy of the Divine law. The second chapter shows that the sexes are not equal, but complementary, and therefore fitted for union. The proof of this is given at length, and its ethical consequences enforced by an examination of their moral and intellectual peculiarities. After these introductory chapters, the Christian doctrine of marriage is discussed in ten chapters, with great fullness and clearness. It is shown that marriage is not only a civil contract, but also a Divine institution, and that its essence consists in the indissoluble union of one man to one woman, sanctioned by the consent of the parties and the blessing of God. From such a union three things are logically deduced, viz.: the exclusiveness of marriage as opposed to polygamy, its indissolubleness as opposed to divorce, and the obedience of the wife to the husband. The closing chapters relate to impediments to marriage and the choice of a partner. The work is written from the most rigid and conservative stand-point, and some of it sconclusions will meet serious question—such as for instance that marriage with a deceased wife's sister is incestuous, and that adultery by the husband is not a cause for divorce. But with a few exceptions, the book is valuable as an attempt to counteract the growing tendency to loose ideas upon the marriage relation, the disregard of its sacred ties, and the progress of Mormonism, free-love, and similar abominations. We regret to notice occasional carelessness in the mechanical execution of the volume, such as is not often found in the books of this house.

WARP AND WOOF. A Book of Verse. By SAMUEL WILLOUGHBY DUFFIELD. New-York: ANSON D. F. RANDOLPH & CO., No. 770 Broadway. 1870.

Mr. DUFFIELD is a graceful, scholarly, if not a strikingly-imaginative writer, whose name has for some time been familiar to readers of our foremost literary papers and magazines. The present volume is made up, we believe, chiefly of pieces first printed in different periodicals and now collected. They are of various merit, but all indicate a practiced and polished hand, with perhaps a trifle too much fondness for moralizing. "Atalanta and Hippomenes" gives the reader an opportunity of comparing Mr. DUFFIELD's method with Mr. MORRIS' in his relation of the same legend. A translation of "Dies Iræ" is given which we do not find very good. The poem quoted below is a fair sample of the DUFFIELD's style and power:

UNDER-GRADUATE ORIOLES. On a picture by Mrs. EMMA SELIGMAN, Philadelphia, March 5, 1867.

Four little mouths agape forever;
Four little throats which are never full;
Four little nestlings, who dissever
One big worm by a mighty pull.

Up on a limb—the lazy fellow!
Perches the father bold and gay;
Proud of his coat of black and yellow,
Always singing throughout the day.

Close at their side the watchful mother,
Quietly sober in dress and song,
Chooses her place, and asks no other,
Flying and gleaning all day long.

Four little mouths in time grow smaller;
Four little throats in time are filled;
Four little nestlings quite appall her,
Spreading their wings for the sun to gild.

Lazy no longer sits the father;
His is the care of the singing school;
He must teach them to fly and gather
Splendid worms by the nearest pool.

Swinging away the shaken branches,
Under the light of the happy sun;
Dropping through blossoms like avalanches—
Father Oriole's work is done.

Four little beaks their mouths embolden;
Four little throats are round and strong;
Four little nestlings fledged and golden
Graduate in the world of song.

MEMOIR OF REV. JOHN SCUDDER, M. D. THIRTY-SIX YEARS MISSIONARY IN INDIA. By Rev. J. B. WATERBURY, D. D. New York: HARPER & BROTHERS, Publishers.

Dr. SCUDDER was one of the earliest and most distinguished among American Protestant missionaries. He left a lucrative practice as a physician in this City, in obedience to what he considered a call of duty to preach the gospel to the heathen, and for more than a generation he labored with an enthusiasm which discouragements could not damp, nor trials dim, to bring the natives of India under the influence of Christianity. In this work, his education and experience as a physician was of the greatest use to him; and his success was due not only to religious earnestness that amounted almost to fanaticism, and an energy rarely paralleled, but also to his skill as a surgeon, and his wholesouled love of his fellow-men. The work before us is composed mainly of Dr. SCUDDER's letters and of letters to him and these are very characteristic, showing good judgment on the part of the biographer in their selection. The style of the book is not finished or attractive, but the subject is eminently so. Those who do not sympathize with the decided theology and stern principles of the veteran missionary, will yet admire his sturdy character, his heroic self-denial, and his patient toils; and few will read the book without wishing that more labor had been bestowed upon the delineation of a character so vigorous and original, as that of this true follower of the Apostle Paul in a work of missionary evangelism.

THE FIRST BOOK OF BOTANY. By ELIZA A. YOUMANS. New-York: D. APPLETON & CO. 1870.

This little volume professes to be "designed to cultivate the observing powers of children," a promise which the simple, yet thorough, method of plant analysis is well fitted to fulfill. It is one of those manuals which can be taken up and studied profitably at any age. Its definitions are not too abstruse for childish comprehension, and it contains nothing redundant to unfit it for the use of the uninstructed adult. The author carefully avoids going beyond the sphere of analysis, leaving all reference to the generic or specific names of plants to a more advanced treatise. We are of opinion that a little familiar talk about some of our most common wild flowers, and their characteristics, would have been a more profitable addendum to the book than the disquisition on the educational claims of botany which is appended. Some such aid to the first attempts at real botanizing is all that is wanted to make the book perfect of its kind.

THE ILIAD OF HOMER. Translated into English verse. By W. G. CALDCLEUGH, Author of "Eastern Tales" and "The Branch and Other Poems." Philadelphia: J. B. LIPPINCOTT & CO. 1870.

This work Mr. CALDCLEUGH diffidently introduces as "the desultory occupation of a few years." As a curious example of how completely a judicious translator may eliminate all the poetry from the *Iliad*, his version is not without a certain melancholy interest. The problem of finding out in what metre it is written from such lines as

"For Agamemnon insulted Chryses,"

or,

"But Agamemnon was much displeased,"

or,

"Wounded is Diomed Tydeus' son,
Ulysses, also, and Agamemnon,"

may furnish, moreover, desultory occupation for a few years to those of Mr. CALDCLEUGH's friends for whose "amusement it was written," and who may have the necessary leisure. Apart from this, we fear, the author has not greatly enriched the literature of his country.

FEATHERS FOR ARROWS; OR, ILLUSTRATIONS FROM MY NOTE-BOOK. By C. H. SPURGEON. New-York: SHELDON & COMPANY.

The great popular preacher of London has gathered in this volume a variety of his most appropriate illustrations of religious truth, experience and doctrine for the use of his fellow-laborers in the ministry. A large part of these are selected from old English authors. Some are from modern writers in England and America. Excellent indexes of subjects and of Scripture texts facilitate the use of the book by students. We subjoin a few specimens of the illustrations:

"How to deal with the difficulties of the Bible." An old man once said, "For a long period I puzzled myself about the difficulties of Scripture, till at last I came to the resolution that reading the Bible was like eating fish; when I find a difficulty I lay it aside and call it a *bone*. Why should I choke on the bone when there is so much nutritious meat for me? Some day, perhaps, I may find that even the bone may afford me nourishment."

The influence of communion with God is thus portrayed.

"When you have been sitting in a well-lighted room, and are suddenly called into the outer darkness, how black it seems; and thus when a man has dwelt in communion with God, sin becomes exceeding sinful, and the darkness in which the world lieth appears tenfold night."

Thus he illustrates the advantage of youthful piety:

"In an election, the first votes recorded count all the day long, and so encourage the party all through the anxious hours of polling. When men give in their names for Jesus and his cause in the morning of their lives, their whole existence influences their time, and their encouragement to the good cause is life-long. Young people, remember this!"

THE NATURALIST'S GUIDE. By C. J. MAYNARD. Boston: FIELDS, OSGOOD & CO. 1870.

This is a popular contribution to the science of Ornithology, chiefly with reference to that department of it known as taxidermy, which prescribes the mode of preparing and preserving specimens. Any book which sends men to the fields and woods and gives them a zest for the study and observation of nature has a special value amid the artificial conditions of modern society. The scientific eminence of the author of this treatise is sufficient guarantee for its trustworthiness, and the style in which it is written leaves nothing to be desired on the score of clearness and simplicity. A descriptive catalogue of the birds of Eastern Massachusetts is appended, and including, as it does, short notices of 299 different species, cannot fail to be of great assistance to the student.

LIFTING THE VEIL. New-York: CHARLES SCRIBNER & CO.

Two women, both of whom have been bereaved, seek, in friendly conversation, to heal each other's wounds, and find some satisfying comfort. The stronger mind belongs to Agatha, the deeper and more sensitive religious nature to Eleanor. Their thoughts lead them to talk of the life of the soul here, and to discuss with reverence and hope the future life as taught by nature, by the inner consciousness, and by the Scriptures. Many of the subjects discussed have been recently handled from the material stand-point, in Miss PHELPS' book, *Gates Ajar*. In *Lifting the Veil* they are considered from the spiritual point of view, and the general tone of the book may be gathered from the following passage:

"However I may speculate about these things, one thing I know, that I am more certain of than I am of anything else; it is, that the more we think of God and care for Him, the less we will think and care for these (material) things. We dwell so much on them, because we are conscious that we do not love God enough to make His presence happiness, so we try to fill our hearts with *stuff*. It is *our* Heaven, not God's, that we are seeking; a selfish heaven, of enjoyment our own way rather than His."

The book is sometimes morbid, but it is upon a subject which is full of interest to every thoughtful mind, and will be of great practical utility to persons who are sorrowing for the death of friends.

SWEDENBORG RITE AND THE GREAT MASONIC LEADERS OF THE EIGHTEENTH CENTURY. By SAMUEL BEEWICK. New-York: Masonic Publishing Company.

The author of this volume has evidently expended great labor and made extended researches in order to give his brother Masons all the information possible relative to SWEDENBORG's connection with Freemasonry. In the volume he enters at considerable length into the general history of Masonry in Europe, shows how the Swedenborgian Rite began, and that Swedenborgian masons were the great leaders of the eighteenth century. He afterward narrates the inception of the rite in America, and its influence in the various lodges. It is a singular fact that SWEDENBORG does not, in any of his writings, allude to the fact that he is a Freemason. This book will be of interest to all Masons, but specially to those of high grade in the craft.

HONOR BRIGHT: A Romance. By the author of "Malbrook." New York: CARLETON. 1870.

An original little story effectively told. Its chief blemishes consist of a feminine profusion of italics, and a straining after effect in jerky spasmodic paragraphs of interjectional sentiment. Its merits lie in a vigorous directness of narrative, a pretty accurate discrimination and analysis of character, and some perception of the mine of personal experience and incident which lies outside of the much-worn track of ordinary drawing-room novels.

Books Received.

—HARPER & BROTHERS, New-York, 1870. *A Comparative Grammar of the Anglo-Saxon Language*, in which its forms are illustrated by those of the Sanskrit, Greek, Latin, Gothic, old Saxon, old Friesic, old Norse and old High German. By FRANCIS A. MARCH, Professor of the English language, &c., in Lafayette College.

—FIELDS, OSGOOD & CO., Boston, 1867. *The Iliad of Homer*. Translated into English blank verse by WILLIAM CULLEN BRYANT. Volume II.

—SAMUEL R. WELLS, New-York, 1870. *Life at Home; Or, The Family and Its Members*. By WILLIAM AIKMAN, D. D.

—DODD & MEAD, New-York, 1870. *Mary Osborne*. By JACOB ABBOTT.

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CURRENT NOTES.

The Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Boston have their annual parade and dinner today.

The Labor Reformers have sixteen votes in the New-Hampshire House of Representatives, the Democrats 114, and the Republicans 168.

NAZARETH HILL, who was accused of stealing a horse in Detroit, has been triumphantly acquitted. There is more good in NAZARETH than he got credit for.

The Governor-General of Canada is soon to visit Montreal and invest Prince ARTHUR with the insignia of knighthood of the order of St. Patrick, conferred upon him by the Queen.

So far as we are yet advised Treasurer SPINNER did not yesterday write a letter on the national banks and the funding of the debt. But it should not be forgotten that yesterday was Sunday.

The election for Mayor in Washington, which has been as fiercely contested as if the country's President and entire Congress depended upon the issue, is to be held today. There are 18,490 voters registered, of whom 7,535 are black.

The vote in Minnesota on the 31st ult., upon the proposition to pay the State bonds with internal improvement lands, was very light, probably not more than half the vote of the State being cast. Nearly two-thirds of the votes cast were in favor of the proposition.

The people of Wolfeborough, N. H., held a meeting a day or two ago to make arrangements for the celebration of the centennial anniversary of the settlement of the town, but after appointing a committee to consider and report upon the matter adjourned until 1970.

Rochester papers publish a card from the Fenian prisoners, thanking the generous American and Irish citizens who bailed them, and promising that their names shall be cherished in the heart of every true Irishman and lover of liberty.

The Indiana delegation in Congress now consists of seven Republicans and four Democrats, and a correspondent at Indianapolis says that gross mismanagement alone can prevent the Republicans having even a larger number in the next House.

The Chicago *Tribune* says that the June statement of the public debt, showing so great a reduction, is exasperating to all tax-payers, and it appeals to Congress resolutely to compel such a reduction of taxation as will bring the rate of payment down to the absolute requirements of the Government.

JEFF. DAVIS was present at the memorial services over the rebel dead in Memphis, Tenn., and a local paper says that while the orator recounted the fadeless glories of the Confederate soldiers there could be observed passing over the calm and philosophic features of Mr. DAVIS sudden flashes of light which bespoke the soldier's heart and great soul within. Possibly the spectator did not read the flashes aright.

The referees in the suit brought by the National Hide and Leather Bank of Boston against the three bondsmen of JAMES D. MARTIN, the defaulting cashier, have reported that each bondsman is indebted to the bank in the sum of $9,500. This is a virtual division of the liability under the bonds ($5,000 each) between the bank and the bondsmen.

"They say" that when a bill to appropriate $5,000 for the Lunatic Asylum in a Southern State was before the Legislature, a dusky member arose and said: "Mr. Speaker, I does tink dat de lunics had ort to be took care ob. I knows a cullered man in my county dat got shot and mortally wounded, and is a cripple for life, an dat man is now living in my county and had ort to be helped."

The Executive Committee appointed by the recent North-western Woman's Suffrage Convention in Chicago has published an address urging organization throughout the North-western States, declaring that to secure the submission by Congress to the States of a woman's suffrage amendment is the first work before them, and proclaiming that now is the time to strike for the principles of liberty and of a purely republican government. Accordingly some of the North-western women are preparing to strike.

A dispatch from Concord, N. H., to a Boston paper makes the somewhat remarkable statement that the popular sentiment there favors the election of either Hon. JAMES WILSON or Ex-Gov. GOODWIN to the United States Senate to serve at least one year and then resign in favor of some one of the numerous "rings." "Popular sentiment" *may* favor this plan, but, even if that be possible, neither Gen. WILSON nor Gov. GOODWIN is a man to submit to any such arrangement on his part. It will be necessary for "popular sentiment" to select gentlemen of less character than they.

The Hartford *Courant* complains sorely of the glaring disproportion between the several Senatorial Districts in Connecticut, in point of population. The First District is the largest. It casts more than twice as many votes as the districts average; and it is more than twice as large as the Second, Third, Seventh, Eleventh, Fifteenth and Sixteenth; more than three times as large as the Ninth, Thirteenth, Fourteenth, Seventeenth, Eighteenth and Nineteenth; and more than four times as large as the Twentieth and Twenty-first Districts. The *Courant* recommends a new distribution, and that the number of Senators be increased to thirty-six.

The Democrats of the Fourth District of Indiana have nominated Hon. D. S. GOODING for Congress, and at the same time have formally resolved that "the State and the nation owe a debt of lasting gratitude to Indiana's distinguished statesman, Hon. T. A. HENDRICKS, for his invaluable services while honored with a seat in the United States Senate, and for his bold, manly and able defense of Democratic principles, and as one of the noble, self-sacrificing few who stood shoulder to shoulder with his time-honored compeers, during the attempted outrage upon the late retired President of the United States, thereby overthrowing their base and insidious designs of establishing a kingly and monarchial government."

There are strange, and often quite unexpected compensations in this life. Some conservatives may have deeply regretted that the Chinaman should threaten to usurp the office of the washer-woman, but a white man in Sacramento, Cal., has given such persons a hint of what may be done. A poor Chinaman timorously presented his bill to this white man for washing clothes, and instead of quietly putting it aside with the remark that it was not convenient to pay it just then, the white man hit him a blow between the eyes, and followed it up with a kick, and altogether thoroughly demoralized the washer-man.

The Detroit *Tribune* says that a party of young ladies and gentlemen were upset while sailing on a shallow pond in Michigan one day last week, but as the water was only three or four feet deep, they all reached the shore in safety except one of the ladies, who sunk to the bottom without an effort to save herself. She was immediately rescued, and on regaining land appeared to be all right, and started on foot for home. On arriving there she commenced vomiting and coughing, and soon her body became terribly bloated, and she was taken delirious. On examination it was found that the violent effort in coughing, had caused an opening in the lung, and the air was escaping. She still lies in a very critical condition.

Southern papers generally alluded in fitting terms to the ceremonies of Memorial Day, and seemed anxious that the sorrowful emotions excited by the decoration of the graves of the loyal dead should tend to promote kindness, and fraternity and charitable feelings between the North and the South. They apparently realized there was nothing in the simple ceremonies of that day to stir up unkindness, but there was one exception, the Columbus (Ga.) *Sun*, which said: "There is no objection to anybody decorating the graves of the hirelings who met their deserts while invading this country, but it is not necessary that the business of this State Government should be suspended in honor of the occasion." The time will probably come when even the *Sun* will be ashamed of this utterance.

Court Calendars This Day.

SUPREME COURT—CIRCUIT.

Part II.—Held by Brady, J.—Court opens at 11 A. M.

Nos.
——In the matter of the probate of the last will and testament of P. M. Langton vs. Langton.
1063—Leonard vs. Ryder.
1238—Same vs. Same.
1949—Same vs. Same.
6656—Walsh vs. Sexton.
990¼—Marsh vs. Soldmon.
15⅔—Lawrence vs. Maxwell.
5854—Lyons vs. Third-av. R. R. Co.
932—Savignac vs. Goodspeed.
484—Hand vs. Williamsburg City Fire Ins. Co.
1546—Judge vs. Albany Propeller Line.
234⅓—Moody vs. Osgood.
1566—Weeks vs. Russell.
1606—Merchants' Ex. Nat. Bank vs. Rose.
1616—Perkins vs. Darling.
836—Drake vs. St. Nicholas Bank.
490—Cohen vs. McGay.
272—Wright vs. Boosa.
1386—Fisk vs. Sears.
940—Basford vs. Livingston.
1576—Hill vs. McKenzie.
1564—Nat. Bank of North America vs. Peninsular.

SUPREME COURT—SPECIAL TERM.

Held by Ingraham, J.

Court opens at 10½ A. M., for decisions only.

SUPREME COURT—CHAMBERS.

The first Monday calendar. Preferred causes only.

SUPREME COURT—GENERAL TERM.

Held by Ingraham, P. J., and Barnard and Cardozo, JJ.

Meets at 11 A. M. on Tuesday.

SUPERIOR COURT—TRIAL TERM.

Part I.—Held by Spencer, J.

Nos.
1717—Begler vs. Pierce.
1707—Ham vs. New-Haven Steam-boat Co.
1081—Belton vs. Baxter.
3027—Newberry vs. The Mayor, &c.
1825—Eppenshiner vs. Bauer.
1733—Steadham vs. Sandford.
33—Hope Mut. Life Ins. Co. vs. Baldwin.
1839—Cooper vs. Edwards.
1939—Hamburger vs. Jones
2345—Kirk vs. Cox.
2047—Smith vs. West-side & Yonkers Patent Railway Co.
1681—Lasatus vs. Rutgers Fire Ins. Co.
1659—Shaughnessy, by guardian, vs. Agart.
2215—Hoy vs. Reade.
2015—Decora vs. Cafferata.

Part II.—Held by Barbour, C. J.—Court opens at 11 A. M.

Nos.
2632—Gonzales vs. N. Y. & Harlem R. R. Co.
2060—Friedenberg vs. O'Brien.
212—Hope Mutual Life Ins. Co. vs. Soulter.
2162—Gregory vs. Stone.
1742—Livingston vs. Lachmeyer.
1934—Douglass vs. Dyer.
1152—Hodnett vs. Smith.
1032—Hinch vs. Williams.
254—Birdsall vs. Doremus.
1264—French vs. Nelson.
1789—Fearing vs. Ward well.
2150—Steinhart vs. Doellner.
1794—Hazard vs. Old Dominion S. S. Co.
2160—Schlesinger vs. Hexter.
2112—Barnett vs. Wallace.

COMMON PLEAS—TRIAL TERM.

Part I.—Held by Loew, J.—Court opens at 11 A. M.

Nos.
185—Brown vs. Elliott.
892—Fey vs. Smith.
903—Gannon vs. Taylor et al.
396—Sherwood vs. Sherman.
138—Ashmead vs. Martin.
733—Fisher vs. Fresch.
640—Blumm vs. Hildreth.
323—Waldeck vs. Rindskon.
1143—Levy vs. Schoenberger.
295—Master Stevedores' Assoc'n vs. Walsh.
915—Bolger vs. Nicolson.
326—Lauer vs. Central P., N. & E. R. R. R. Company.
193—Hoover vs. Beekman Fire Ins. Co.
194—Hoover vs. Croton Fire Ins. Co.
911—Schwartz vs. O'Brien.
67.—Auja vs. Levy.

Part II.—Held by Van Brunt, J.—Court opens at 11 A. M.

Nos.
113—Kain vs. Kelly.
1917—Hebbard vs. Hall.
936—Carpenter vs. Goodwin.
73—Drachman vs. Cort.
456—Burrell vs. Harry.
818—Curtis vs. Van Vleck.
804—Morrissey vs. Simonds.
873—Randell vs. Brand.
874—Panderhorst vs. Franklin.
783—Tuttle vs. Hannegan.
573—Helland vs. Steubee.
850—Peddie vs. McQuade.
885—Perhune vs. Beach.
867—Kirtland vs. Sanger.
922—Borcell vs. Newell.

SUPERIOR COURT—GENERAL TERM.

Held by Monell, McCunn and Jones, JJ.—Court opens at 11 A. M.

Nos.
1—Townshend vs. Gould.
2—Freidman vs. Dures.
3—Wasserman vs. Brod.
4—McAndrew vs. Whitlock, Jr.
5—Mayer vs. Hartman.
6—Beaner vs. Mittnacht.
7—Cohen vs. Kelly.
8—East New-York and Jamaica Railroad Company vs. Elmore.
9—Hawkins vs. Palmer.
10—Cammeyer vs. Hamilton.
11—Neff vs. Friedman.
12—Phelps vs. Swan.
13—Phillips vs. Goodwin.
14—Townsend vs. Gould.
15—Hufnagle vs. Cristallar.
16—Hatch vs. Fogerty.
17—O'Connor vs. Cummings.
18—Ward vs. Central Park, North and East River Railroad Company.
19—Classen vs. Leopold.
20—Knowlton vs. Providence and New-York Steam-ship Company.
21—Schorr vs. Bonner.
22—Priest vs. Hudson River Railroad Company.
23—Ackermith vs. Voorhis.
24—Dennis vs. Comans.
25—Knapp vs. Altmayer.
26—Cable vs. Jones.
27—Mierson vs. Hope.
28—Radley vs. The American Hand Pegging Machine Company.
29—Puckhafer vs. White.
30—The Brooklyn Oil Refinery vs. Brown.
31—Heins vs. Peine.
32—Willis vs. Tibbotts.
33—Thomas vs. Payne.
34—Miner vs. Buckman.
35—Sulzbacker vs. Davison.

MARINE COURT—TRIAL TERM.

Part I.—Held by Gross, J.—Calendar called at 10 A.M.

Nos.
814—Coughtry vs. Levine.
201—Wardell vs. Caruna.
673—Underhill vs. Cleveland.
674—Same vs. Same.
——Davidson vs. Bomburger.
491—Robe vs. Lechendorfer.
1016—Hayes vs. Parker.
1095—Ireland vs. Babcock.
1162—Lichtenstadter vs. Engel.
1163—Denny vs. Levy.
1181—Haller vs. Lehr.
1125—Sherrill vs. Healey.
1230—Lowell Sewing-machine Co. vs. Healey
1240—Stone vs. Sonneborn.
1250—Bach vs. Senk.
1346—Hawkins vs. Salomon

Part II.—Held by Alker, J.

Nos.
784—Erlbach vs. Strauss.
807—Clegg vs. Johnson.
970—Johnston vs. Pitskey
1068—Peters vs. Conner.
1085—Tuska vs. Wolf.
1114—Hyatt vs. Torry.
1127—Dunham vs. Parof.
1146—Gallagan vs. Gillespie.
1172—Gillman vs. Nicking.
1206—Vidal vs. Quinn.
1230—Wiegelman vs. Day.
1268—Bergman vs. Salhinger.
1292—Rawitzer vs. Lorillard.
1294—Bensel vs. Ording.
1329—Sackersdorf vs. Boyle.
1366—Evans vs. O'Reilly.
1475—Green vs. Fitz Simmons.
1965—Meyer vs. Walbridge.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT—IN ADMIRALTY.

Held by Blatchford, J.

Nos.
218—Johnson vs. schooner Wanato.
238—Thompson vs. steam-boat George Farrell.
——Groves vs. Campbell.
285—Rideout et al. vs. steam-boat City of Hartford.
214—Robinson vs. steam-boat City of Hartford, &c.
135—Terry vs. sloop Lexington.
239—Pontin vs. steam-boat Bristol.
241—Dickey vs. Verplanck et al.
240—Robinson vs. steam-tug Nellie.
236—Conin vs. steam-boat Deer, &c.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

Held by Hackett, Recorder.

Nos.
1—The People vs. Thomas Jackson; murder.
2—The People vs. Tavredo Cruz; grand larceny.
3—The People vs. Mary A. Davis; grand larceny.
4—The People vs. William H. Joiner; grand larceny.
5—The People vs. George Palmer and John H. Mason; burglary.
6—The People vs. Henry Dongan; felonious assault and battery.

FINANCIAL AFFAIRS.

Sales at the Stock Exchange—JUNE 4.

FIRST BOARD—10½ A. M.

$10,000 U. S. 6s, '31, C	118	200 Wells-Fargo Ex..	15⅛
500 U. S. 5-20 C., '62	112⅛	100 N. Y. C. & H. R. bes. call	101⅜
40,000 U. S. 5-20 R., '65, new	110⅜	100 do	101⅝
1,000 U. S. 5-20 C., '65, new	114	10,000 N. Y. C. & H. Cl's	96⅛
51,000 do	114⅛	50 Erie R. Pf., b. c.	46
1,000 U. S. 5-20 C., '67	114⅛	200 Harlem R.	144⅜
3,000 do	114⅜	30 Reading R.	109
12,000 Ohio 6s, 1860	104	200 do	109⅛
$1,000 U. S. 5s, 10-40 C	108⅜	500 do	109⅜
5,000 do	108⅜	1000 Lake S. & M. So.	99
20,000 U. S. 6s, Cur..	113⅜	200 do	99⅛
10,000 Tenn. 6s, o. c.	62	500 do	98⅜
80,000 Tenn. 6s, n.	58⅜	300 do	98⅛
45,000 do	58⅜	300 Ill. Cen.	139⅛
10,000 Vir. 6s, n..	68	100 P., Ft. W. & C. gua.	97
2,000 Ala. 8s	101⅛	255 Panama R.	131
2,000 H. R. 2d. S. F. B	105⅛	50 do	147
10,000 Cen. Pac. G. B.	93⅜	100 Chic. & N. W.	84⅛
5,000 Tol. & Wab. con. int. bds	81	100 do	84⅜
2,000 Mor. & Es. 1st.	101	200 Chic. & N. W. Pf.	91⅞
3,000 Mor. & Es. 2d.	99	500 do	91⅜
5,000 Alt. & T. H. 2d, Pf	85	200 Chic. & R. I.	122
4,000 Chic. & N. W. 1st	98	300 do	b30 122⅜
		100 do	b60 122⅛
		300 do	122⅜
2,000 C., Pains. & Ash. new bds	91	200 Mil. & St. Paul	66⅜
5,000 C., C. & I. C.	82⅛	600 Mil. & St. P. Pf.	87⅛
10 Bank of Com	128	1000 Tol., Wab. & W.	32⅛
100 Canton Co	68⅛	100 do	b30 56⅞
50 Adams Ex	64	22 do	56⅝
1700 Pac. Mail	43⅛	300 do	56⅞
510 do	43⅛	100 Chic. & Alt.	119⅛
500 do...bet. c.	43⅛	100 Ohio & Miss.	41⅝
300 do	43⅛	500 do	41⅛
300 do	43	50 H. & St. Jo.	118⅜
1500 do	42⅜	100 C

house—the entries of Foreign Specie being omitted:

July	$24,480,106	March	$27,282,954
August	27,227,202	April	28,567,274
September	22,279,489	May	6,305,295
October	19,009,219	May 14	5,589,176
November	19,084,197	May 21	6,646,178
December	18,153,434	May 28	3,616,503
January	23,204,519	June 4	7,022,961
February	23,831,656		
Total since July 1			$260,882,271
Against same time in 1869			272,864,674
Decrease since July 1			$12,002,403

The Currency value of the Exports of Domestic Produce and Miscellaneous Goods from New-York since July 1, 1869, are as follows:

July	$19,082,268	March	$15,943,095
August	18,624,219	April	14,697,826
September	17,226,964	May 4	3,439,671
October	19,068,256	May 11	3,419,985
November	17,393,002	May 18	3,667,044
December	18,559,867	May 25	3,610,420
January	12,893,166	June 1	3,383,804
February	11,940,146		
Total since July			$183,949,729
Against same time in 1869			151,460,208
Increase since July 1			$31,489,521
Gold, June 4, 1870			114¾ ₱ cent.
Gold, June 5, 1869			138¾ ₱ cent.

The exports of Gold and Silver of all descriptions from New-York since July 1, 1869, are as follows:

July	$6,474,624	March	$1,521,001
August	3,027,940	April	1,698,616
September	1,768,171	May 7	591,434
October	2,531,076	May 14	801,127
November	1,126,848	May 21	716,409
December	1,732,899	May 28	2,046,059
January	2,683,302	June 4	1,199,700
February	2,194,256		
Total since July 1			$30,109,236
Against same date in 1869			$5,589,691
Decrease since July 1			$5,480,455

The following are the Customs receipts in Gold and the interest paid on the Public Debt in Gold, at the New-York office of the United States Treasury, since July 1, 1869:

Customs Received.		Gold Interest Paid.	
July	$10,502,045	July	$17,384,482
August	14,319,913	August	1,867,988
September	12,504,325	September	4,358,338
October	11,194,158	October	7,715,080
November	9,190,801	November	9,992,983
December	6,696,686	December	2,430,597
January	10,155,398	January	17,693,727
February	11,951,925	February	1,793,045
March	12,284,608	March	3,766,313
April	13,193,872	April	836,564
May	10,945,498	May	16,918,162
June 4	1,765,438	June 4	577,585
Total	$126,029,565	Total	$85,190,388
Total, 1869	117,598,203	Total, 1869	85,819,029

COURSE OF STOCK EXCHANGE—THE WEEK.

	June 5, '69.
American Gold	114⅜@114⅞ 138⅜
Old U. S. 5-20s, 1862	112⅜@112⅝ 122⅜
Consolidated 5-20s	114⅛@114⅜ 119¼
U. S. 10-40s, 5 per cents	109⅛@109⅜ 109⅜
N. Y. Central and Hudson	100⅞@101⅛ ...
N. Y. Cen. and Hudson Scrip	96⅜@96⅝ ...
Rock Island	119@122 121
Lake Shore	113⅞@114 114¼
North-western	81⅛@84 92⅝
Reading	106⅛@109⅜ 98⅜
North-western Preferred	89@91 103⅝
Ohio and Mississippi	29⅝@29¾ 34⅛
Pacific Mail	43⅜@44⅛@42⅝ 83⅜
St. Paul Preferred	80⅜@82½ 88⅜
St. Paul Common	65⅛@66⅝ 76⅜
New Tennessee 6s	56⅛@56¾ 64⅛
Old North Carolina 6s	48⅛@49 56⅛
Old Virginia 6s	69@69 57⅝
New-Jersey Central	109⅛@110⅛ 120⅛

Attention is directed to the advertisement of the Phœnix Mutual Life Insurance Company of Hartford, with assets of over $5,000,000, and operating on the most liberal principle of mutual profit and accommodation of the policyholders. Mr. A. C. GOODMAN, No. 163 Broadway, is the New York representative of the Company.

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COMMERCIAL AFFAIRS.

NEW-YORK, Saturday, June 4, 1870.

The receipts of the principal kinds of produce since our last have been as follows:

Ashes, pks	52	Crude Turp., bbls	133
Beeswax, pkg	1	Spirits Turp., bbls	1
Cotton, bales	1,144	Resin, bbls	3,923
Cotton-seed, bags	5,000	Pitch, bbls	25
Copper, bbls	62	Tar, bbls	13
Eggs, bbls	1,072	Domestic, pkg	50
Flour, bbls	12,801	Lard, kegs	50
Meal, bbls	221	Stearine, tcs	22
Wheat, bushels	187,665	Butter, pks	1,431
Corn, bushels	56,659	Cheese, pks	4,989
Oats, bushels	2,195	Tallow, pks	52
Rye, bushels	8,549	Oil, lard, bbls	35
Malt, bushels	9,000	Rice, pks	364
Peas, bushels	7,750	Tobacco, hhds	598
Beans, bushels	775	Tobacco bxs. and cs	724
Hemp, bales	14	Whisky, bbls	490
Hops, bales	10	Wool, bales	152
Leather, sides	3,262	Pea-nuts, bags	406

The exports since our last, reported at the Merchants' Exchange, Pine-street, have been as follows:

By the ship *Constitution*, for Liverpool—136 boxes Cheese, 367 bales Cotton, 509 boxes Bacon, 130 bbls. Spirits Turpentine, 30 casks Bark, 45 hhds. Tobacco, 31 tcs. Tobacco, 23,335 bushels Wheat.

By the steamer *India*, for Glasgow—1,231 bbls. Resin, 1,445 boxes Cheese, 6 bbls. Cotton, 3,790 bbls. Flour, 22,830 bushels Wheat, 20 bbls. Pork, 10 boxes Bacon, 23,220 lbs. Butter, 75 casks Sperm Oil, 13 casks Whale-foots, 11 cases Sewing-machines, 8 cases Machinery, 91 cases Drugs, 1 bale Cotton, 7,500 bushels Peas, 40 hhds. Tallow, 107 tcs. Beef, 25 boxes Extract Dyewood.

By the steamer *The Queen*, for Liverpool—(additional)—100 tcs. Syrup, 326 bales Cotton, 22,922 bushels Wheat.

By the bark *Priden*, for Konigsberg—1,712 bbls. Refined Petroleum.

By the bark *Grenadier*, for Liverpool—13,235 bushels Wheat, 2,655 bags Linseed Cake, 150 hhds. Tallow, 75 cases Oysters, 22 casks Whale Foots, 682 bbls. Flour.

By the bark *Antonetta C.*, for Gloucester—23,878 bushels Wheat.

By the brig *Linen* for Amsterdam—2,230 bbls. Flour, 7,200 Staves.

By the bark *Alexandra* for Copenhagen—1,050 bbls. Refined Petroleum.

By the steamer *Union* for Bremen—21 boxes preserved Meats, 10 boxes Lobsters, 5 boxes Caviar, 1 box Rubber, 308 bbls. Resin, 345 cases Tobacco, 25 bbls. Potashes, 26 cases Essential Oil, 3 boxes Extract, 8,757 bushels Rye, 200 cases Spermaceti, 16 bales Pins, 7,605 bushels Wheat, 99 bales Hog Hair, 5 pks. Matting, 1 cask Gin. 2 boxes Glasswares, 1 box Machinery.

ASHES—Have been inactive at $6 50@7 for Pots, $9 25@9 75 for Pearls, ₱ 100 lbs.

COFFEE—Has been quiet, but steady, in this market. At Baltimore, 1,000 bags Rio, by the *Amazon*, were sold on private terms. We quote: Java at 20c.@22c.; Maracaibo at 16½c.@19c.; Laguayra, 16¾c.@18¼c.; Rio, 9¼c.@13¾c., in bond; Native Ceylon, 17¾c.@19c.; Jamaica, 15c.@16¾c.; Singapore, 18c.@19c.; Costa Rica, 16c.@20c.; Manila, 16c.@17c.; Mexican, 15c.@18c.; Savanilla, 15¾c.@18c.; San Domingo, in bond, 9¾c.@9¾c., gold, ₱ lb.

COTTON—Has declined a fraction, on a limited trade. Sales, 494 bales, including 219 bales to shippers, 159 bales to spinners, 16 bales to speculators and 100 bales in transit. Also, 2,450 bales for forward delivery, including 1,000 bales, basis Low Middling, for June, 21c.@21¼c.; 500 bales do., for July, 21c.@21½c.; 100 bales do., for August, 21¼c.; 200 bales do., for September, 19¾c.; 750 bales do. for October, 19¾c.@19¾c., ₱ lb. Messrs. CORNWALL & ZERREGA notice the week's business thus:

"Our market for the week has been dull and heavy, closing quiet, with prices from ¼c.@¾c. ₱ lb below the opening quotations of Saturday last. The total sales for the week have been 9,900 bales, including 3,530 bales for export, 4,985 bales to spinners, 545 bales to speculators, and 840 bales in transit. The market for future delivery has been fairly active, closing quiet at 21¾c.@21¾c. for June, July and August. The sales on 'basis Low Middling' have been for May, 300 bales at 21¾c.@21¾c.; for June, 3,200 bales at 21¾c.@21¾c.; for July, 7,300 bales at 21¾c.@22c.; for August, 700 bales at 21¾c.@21¾c.; for September, 300 bales at 19¾c.; for October, 700 bales at 19¾c.@19¾c.; for November, 250 bales at 19c. The exports from this port for the week have been to Liverpool, 6,724 bales; to Havre, 59 bales; to Bremen, 354 bales; to Hamburg, 33 bales. Total, 7,170 bales. The exports from all ports for the week have been to Liverpool, 34,774 bales; to the Continent, 4,147 bales. Total, 38,921 bales."

Closing Prices of Cotton.

	Uplands.	Mobile.	N. Orleans.	Texas.
Ordinary	18	18¼	18¼	18¼
Good Ordinary	20¼	20½	20¾	21
Low Middling	21¾	21¾	22	22¼
Middling	22¼	22½	22¾	23
Good Middling	23¾	24	24¼	24½

Movements of Cotton at this Port. Bales.

Receipts this week	7,728
Receipts last week	26,778
Receipts the preceding week	13,372
Receipts since Sept. 1	863,488
Receipts year ending Jan. 1, 1870	682,100
Receipts year ending Sept. 1, 1869	638,720
Export clearances since our last	1,243
Exports since Sept. 1	377,657
Exports for the year ending Jan 1, 1870	588,867
Exports for the year ending Sept. 1, 1869	328,579
Estimated stock here	50,000

Movements of Cotton at all the Shipping Ports.

Receipts from Sept. 1 to latest dates	2,734,400
Receipts same time 1868–69	1,991,500
Receipts year ending Sept. 1, 1869	2,200,557
Receipts at all ports year ending Sept. 1, 1868	2,240,292
Exports from Sept. 1 to latest dates	1,867,000
Exports same time 1868–69	1,367,150
Exports year ending Sept. 1, 1869	1,447,643
Exports year ending Sept. 1, 1868	1,657,045
Exports preceding Cotton year	1,553,787
Estimated stock at latest dates	263,250
Estimated stock at ports same time in 1869	136,650
Estimated stock Sept. 1, 1869	11,090
Estimated stock Aug. 31, 1869	38,130
Crop of 1868–69	2,000,557
Crop of 1867–68	2,430,835
Crop of 1866–67	1,951,266

The receipts and exports of Cotton at the shipping ports in each week since Sept. 1, and for the corresponding week of the two last Cotton years, have been as follows:

Week ending	1867–68. Receipts.	Exports.	1868–69. Receipts.	Exports.	1869–70. Receipts.	Exports.
Sept. 5	4,523	1,263	4,150	2,500	3,432	1,353
Sept. 12	5,960	2,373	11,384	1,375	11,206	1,236
Sept. 19	8,170	1,846	19,673	2,981	26,306	1,337
Sept. 26	11,533	29,311	4,702	45,341	4,979	...
Oct. 3	18,073	1,141	34,799	8,874	54,628	9,813
Oct. 10	24,384	2,556	44,065	16,846	59,330	20,506
Oct. 17	31,714	5,691	52,522	10,647	67,555	34,916
Oct. 24	34,049	22,290	57,004	14,507	77,383	34,953
Oct. 31	45,836	7,891	66,471	30,101	76,318	51,269
Nov. 7	61,597	39,076	74,256	38,159	95,566	35,989
Nov. 14	59,445	30,932	72,360	45,272	93,045	55,858
Nov. 21	76,528	37,195	72,648	48,523	90,088	57,466
Nov. 28	84,872	44,216	74,849	51,310	85,239	69,727
Dec. 5	77,746	55,366	89,923	64,010	99,767	73,079
Dec. 12	89,000	42,919	86,774	47,573	98,480	62,049
Dec. 19	104,855	68,930	80,012	54,424	111,010	64,801
Dec. 26	94,597	73,885	79,998	43,278	113,819	69,304
Jan. 2	99,982	60,942	85,449	71,173	109,577	55,927
Jan. 9	79,450	37,882	65,747	41,360	101,630	47,417
Jan. 16	76,884	70,386	72,256	37,445	88,748	42,431
Jan. 23	83,028	67,524	80,783	53,169	95,300	50,625
Jan. 30	82,866	64,920	85,905	22,730	100,208	55,915
Feb. 6	90,679	62,908	64,858	21,377	108,739	58,559
Feb. 13	94,584	59,645	66,760	39,985	97,886	71,967
Feb. 20	89,878	63,724	73,422	60,420	94,624	62,766
Feb. 27	95,949	56,962	65,009	58,663	85,747	71,307
March 5	77,451	55,626	61,696	13,236	74,620	56,391
March 12	65,062	78,976	36,767	21,642	67,925	76,977
March 19	59,210	55,923	22,272	14,103	43,657	91,261
March 26	43,622	53,904	32,214	34,864	54,081	74,197
April 2	36,520	56,408	28,219	56,841	41,474	69,305
April 9	45,745	52,476	21,751	45,473	43,042	70,446
April 16	32,738	58,758	29,011	44,954	42,769	63,570
April 23	18,476	47,774	27,180	70,538	40,039	56,946
April 30	17,505	36,302	23,440	31,832	51,348	34,159
May 7	13,894	39,085	21,050	33,121	37,686	37,705
May 14	10,980	37,980	21,930	21,230	36,977	40,233
May 21	6,140	15,956	16,989	43,457	44,703	45,959
May 28	6,150	16,978	15,180	32,494	30,771	37,542
June 4	4,306	3,593	11,689	16,084	22,268	36,514

Messrs. EASTMAN & CO. have prepared the annexed statistics of the Cotton movement of the season thus far:

Received by Telegraph Friday Evening.

	Receipts.	Stock.	Exports to Gt. Britain.	Exports to Continent.
New-Orleans	3,294	107,827	15,329	1,650
Mobile	2,311	24,129	2,414	...
Galveston	1,016	28,017	...	...
Savannah	2,646	31,942	7,619	1,928
Charleston	1,580	9,030	...	...
New-York	3,697	61,000	6,724	446
Boston, Phil. & Balt.	1,744	16,750	...	395
Total this week	22,253	283,255	32,086	4,428
Previously reported	2,712,135	....	1,310,707	639,822
Total since Sep. 1, '69	2,734,393	263,255	1,342,793	644,250
Same time last year	1,991,538	136,650	935,687	431,488

Statistical Position.

	1870. Bales.	1869. Bales.
Stock in Liverpool	600,000	392,130
Afloat from India	138,000	454,000
Afloat from America	136,000	140,000
Stock in London	30,400	76,980
Afloat for London	55,000	53,000
Stock in Havre	94,270	38,010
Afloat for Havre	91,965	99,549
Stock in Bremen	18,498	9,217
Afloat for Bremen	16,804	4,889
Stock in United States ports	263,255	136,650
Stock in the interior towns	50,400	18,125
Total	1,508,590	1,422,535
Excess in visible supply		81,055

Stock of Cotton held by Manchester spinners at the mills, now 40,000 bales, same time 1869, 85,000 bales. Middling Orleans, now 11d., then 11⅛d.

Stocks in the Interior Towns June 3.

	1870.	1869.
Augusta and Hamburg, Ga	11,820	4,597
Columbus, Ga	6,125	2,140
Macon, Ga	7,108	856
Salem, Ala	3,225	759
Montgomery, Ala	5,063	1,759
Memphis, Tenn	12,240	6,474
Nashville, Tenn	4,819	1,540
Total	50,400	18,125

FLOUR AND MEAL—State and Western Flour has been in fair demand at an advance of 5c.@10c. ₱ bbl. The inquiry has been mainly for the low grades, particularly for good State Extras, on the basis of $5 35 ₱ bbl., delivered. Sales have been reported since our last of 13,750 bbls., including poor to choice Superfine State and Western at $4 80@5 10; inferior to good Extra State at $5 15@5 35; poor to good shipping brands round-hoop Ohio at $5 15@5 40 ₱ bbl. We quote:

Superfine State and Western	$4 85@5 10
Extra State	5 15@ 5 85
Extra Illinois, Indiana, &c	5 10@ 7 80
Extra Ohio round-hoop shipping brands	5 15@ 5 40
Extra Ohio, trade and family brands	5 45@ 7 85
Extra City, shipping	5 25@ 6 35
Extra Genesee	6 00@ 7 85
Poor to fancy extra Missouri	5 70@ 9 75

Southern Flour has been in rather better demand at a shade stronger prices; sales have been reported since our last of 700 bbls., in lots, at $5 85@6 75 for poor to good Ordinary, and $6 75@8 10 for good Ordinary to choice Extra, ₱ bbl. Rye Flour has been in request at $4 50@5 75 for Inferior to Choice, ₱ bbl.; sales 250 bbls. Corn-meal continues very quiet at $5 25@5 75 for Yellow and White Western; $5 20@5 30 for Jersey; $5 75 for Brandywine, ₱ bbl.

GRAIN—Wheat has been in lively request, chiefly for export to British, French and German ports, though partly on speculative account, at a further advance of about 2c. ₱ bushel on prime No. 2 Milwaukee Spring, which has been in most favor with buyers; about 1c. a bushel on No. 2 Chicago Spring; 1c.@2c. ₱ bushel on Amber Winter, which was in quite moderate supply and wanted, partly for milling; and firm rates for No. 1 Spring, which, however, was in less urgent demand. At the close prime No. 2 Milwaukee Spring was freely sought after by shippers at $1 25, and there was also some call for strictly choice do. at $1 26, afloat, ₱ bushel. Sales have been reported since our last of 254,000 bushels, including White Western at $1 65@$1 75; Red and Amber Western at $1 33@$1 37, in store and delivered; No. 1 Spring, $1 30@$1 31, delivered; No. 2 Spring at $1 18@$1 22 for Chicago, and $1 22@$1 26 for Milwaukee, chiefly at $1 24@$1 25; No. 3 Spring at $1 14@$1 16; Rejected Spring at $1 08; White Genesee at $1 85@$1 90; Amber State at $1 35@$1 37, in store; and Amber Canada, in bond, $1 36, ₱ bushel. Corn has been more freely offered at lower prices, leading to heavier purchases of both new and old, including equal to about four or five loads of old, in store, on speculative account. Sales have been reported since our last of 81,000 bushels at $1 08¾@$1 10 for old Mixed Western; closing at $1 08¾@$1 09, in store; $1 02@$1 08 for poor to prime new Mixed Western; $1 09@$1 13 for Yellow Jersey, Pennsylvania, Western and Southern, delivered; 80c.@81c. for Unsound, ₱ bushel. Rye, Barley, and Malt remain about as last noticed. There has been a decidedly active inquiry for Oats, partly speculative, at an improvement of 1c.@2c. ₱ bushel, closing buoyantly. Sales have been reported since our last of 114,000 bushels, at 66c.@68c. for Mixed Western, in store and delivered; 68c.@70c. for White Western, from track and delivered; 69c@71c. for State, closing with 70c. bid for Prime State, ₱ bushel. The export clearances have been 662 bbls. Flour and 69,492 bushels Wheat for Liverpool; 3,790 bbls. Flour, 22,890 bushels Wheat and 7,500 bushels Peas for Glasgow; 23,878 bushels Wheat for Gloucester; 2,830 bbls. Flour for Amsterdam; 7,605 bushels Wheat and 8,757 bushels Rye for Bremen.

HAY—Bale Hay continues in fair demand at 80c.@85c., chiefly at 80c., for shipping, and at 90c.@1 10 for local use, ₱ 100 lbs. Straw has been selling in lots at 55c.@1 05 for Short and Long, ₱ 100 lbs.

HIDES—The week's receipts have been 66,651 Hides; sales, 64,450 Hides and 30 bales do., the latter including, according to Messrs. HULL & Co., 5,450 Dry Buenos Ayres, 21@22 lbs., at 23c., gold, selected; 800 Dry Buenos Ayres, Kips, 12 lbs., private terms; 13,200 Dry Montevideo, part to arrive, 21@21½ lbs., 22c.@22½c., gold, selected; 500 dry California, 23½@23¾ lbs., private terms; 9,000 Dry Rio Grande, 20½ lbs., 21½c., gold, selected; 2,000 Dry Rio Grande, Seconds, 20 lbs., 16c., gold, as they run; 6,300 Dry Rio Grande, Kips, 12½ lbs., private terms; 3,700 Dry Central American, 19@20 lbs., private terms; 2,950 Dry Bogota, 20 lbs., private terms; 1,500 Dry Vera Cruz, 18 lbs., private terms; 1,300 Dry Port-au Platt, 18 lbs., private terms; 1,750 Dry Matamoras, 24 lbs., 18c., gold, as they run; 1,100 Dry Mexican Kips, 11 lbs., private terms; 8,500 Dry Texas, 20@25 lbs., 17¾c.@18¼c., currency, as they run; 700 Dry and Salted Southern, 20 lbs., private terms; 1,200 Wet-salted Matamoras, 50 lbs., private terms; 1,300 Wet-salted Vera Cruz, 40 lbs., private terms; 1,000 Wet-salted Texas, 60@62 lbs., private terms; 400 Wet-salted Southern, 34 lbs., 10¼c., currency, as they run; 1,500 City Slaughter, 68 lbs., 9¼c.@10c., currency, selected; 30 bales Calcutta Buffalo, 12¼c.@13c., gold. The stock on hand is 151,100 Hides and 350 bales—same time last year 184,300 Hides and 10 bales—as follows: 48,800 Dry Buenos Ayres, 25,000 Dry Montevideo, 26,000 Dry Rio Grande, 8,200 Dry Orinoco, 700 Dry California, 5,300 Dry Central American, 2,200 Dry Truxillo, 4,200 Dry Nicaragua, 1,000 Dry and Salted Bogota, &c., 10,500 Dry and Salted Mexican, 17,500 Dry and Salted Texas, 2,100 Wet-salted Buenos Ayres and Rio Grande Ox and Cow, 1,600 Wet-salted Para, 2,000 Wet-salted Texas, 350 bales Calcutta Cow and Buffalo.

HOPS—Have been in moderate request within a range of from 10c.@22c. for crop of 1869, ₱ lb.

LEATHER—Sole has been in fair demand, including Hemlock, Buenos Ayres, Heavy, 28c.@29c.; Hemlock, Buenos Ayres, Middle, 29c.@30c.; Hemlock, Buenos Ayres, Light, 28c.@29c.; Hemlock, California, Heavy, 27¼c.@28c.; Hemlock, California, Middle, 28c.@29c.; Hemlock, California, Light, 27c.@28c.; Hemlock, Orinoco, &c., Heavy, 26c.@27½c.; Hemlock, Orinoco, &c., Middle, 27¼c.@28½c.; Hemlock, Orinoco, &c., Light, 29¼c.@27½c.; Hemlock, Goods Damaged, all kinds and weights, 24c.@26c.; Hemlock, Poor Damaged, all kinds and weights, 20c.@22c.; Hemlock, Rough, 30c.@33c.; Oak Slaughter, Heavy, 38c.@42c.; Oak Slaughter, Middle, 37c.@42c.; Oak Slaughter, Light, 36c.@40c.; Union Cropped, Heavy, 33c.@38c.; Union Cropped, Middle, 34c.@40c.; Union Cropped, Light, 34c.@40c.; Union Bellies, 20c.@22c.; Oak Rough, Heavy, 32c.@37c.; Oak Rough, Middle, 32c.@37c.; Oak Rough, Light, 32c.@37c.; Southern Rough, all weights, 26c.@30c., currency, ₱ lb.

MOLASSES—The inquiry has been light, but prices have been supported. New Crop Porto Rico at 40c. @ 45c.; Old and New Crop Cuba, 40c.@45c.; New Crop English Islands, 30c.@50c.; New-Orleans, 75c.@1 03 ₱ gallon.

	Old Crop.	New Crop.
Cuba, Centrifugal and Mixed	22c.@24c.	30c.@35c.
Cuba, Clayed	24c.@25c.	37c.@40c.
Cuba, Muscovado, refining grades	25c.@30c.	37c.@40c.
Cuba, Muscovado, grocery grades	—@—	40c.@45c.
Porto Rico	—@—	40c.@70c.
English Islands	—@—	30c.@40c
New-Orleans	—@—	70c.@1

PETROLEUM—Crude has been inactive and quoted weak on the basis of 14¼c.@14¾c., in bulk, and irregularly from 18¼c.@19c. in shipping order ₱ gallon. The receipts of Crude have been —bbls.; at Philadelphia, 780 bbls. Refined Oil has been in limited demand at drooping prices. Sales have been reported since our last of 800 bbls. Standard White, in one delivery, at 27¼c.@27¾c., closing with 27¾c. generally asked for round lots; 1,000 bbls. do., early July delivery, at 27½c., and 2,500 bbls., do., for forward delivery, on terms not to be made public. At Philadelphia, 1,000 bbls. Standard White, for July delivery, were reported at 27¾c. ₱ gallon. The receipts of Refined Oil have been —bbls., at Philadelphia, 2,050 bbls. The export clearances hence have been 1,712 bbls. for Konigsberg, and 1,050 bbls. for Copenhagen. Refined Oil, in cases, has been quiet at from 32½c.@33c. ₱ gallon. Naphtha continues quiet at 9¼c.@9¾c., in shipping order, and 14¼c.@14¾c., in bulk, ₱ gallon.

PROVISIONS—Pork has been held with more firmness, on an increased call from buyers for New Mess for forward delivery, with, however, only a moderate inquiry for prompt delivery. Sales have reported since our last of 470 bbls., in lots, at $30 50 for New Mess; $30 for Thin Mess; $26@$26 50 for Prime Mess; $22@$23 50 for Prime, ₱ bbl. Also, 2,500 bbls. New Mess, seller June and July, at $30 50, ₱ bbl. Cut-meats have been in fair request at former rates. Sales have been reported of 325 pks. at 12c.@12¼c. for Shoulders; 15¾c.@17c. for Hams, ₱ lb. Bacon has been quiet at about 14c. for Cumberland. Lard has been in more demand at a shade firmer rates. Sales have been reported since our last of 400 bbls., in lots, at 14¼c.@15¼c. for poor No. 1 to choice Kettle-rendered, chiefly at 15¼c.@15¾c. for City, and 15¾c.@16¼c. for fair to prime Western Steam, ₱ lb. Prime Western Steam was in some request for July delivery at 16¼c. ₱ lb. Beef continues inactive at unchanged prices. Sales have been reported since our last of 150 bbls., in lots, at $11 50@15 50 for Plain Mess; $15 50@18 for Extra Mess, ₱ bbl. Tierce Beef continues quiet at $25@$26 50 for Prime Mess, and $28 50@$31 for Indian Mess, ₱ tierce. Beef Hams have been in moderate demand at from $29 50@$36 for poor Southern to choice Western, ₱ bbl. Sales 120 bbls. Butter has been moderately dealt in, including State Inferior to Prime at 20c.@30c., and Western Inferior to Prime at 16c.@23c. ₱ lb; the day's receipts were 1,431 pks. Cheese has been quiet and irregular at from 5c.@17½c., as the extremes for very Common to Fancy Factory; the day's receipts were 4,889 boxes.

SUGARS—Raw have been in fair, though less active request, at firmer and rising prices. Sales, 1,116 hhds. Cuba and Porto Rico at from 9c.@10¼c. ₱ lb. We now quote: Fair to good refining grades Cuba at 9¼c.@9¾c.; fair to good grocery grades at 9¾c.@10¼c.; good to choice grocery grades at 10¼c.@10¾c., ₱ lb.; Porto Rico grocery grades ranged from 9¾c.@11c.; No. 13 Box Sugar, 10¼c. ₱ lb. Refined Sugars have been in active demand, ranging from 11¾c.@14¼c., as extremes, ₱ lb.

SEEDS—Calcutta Linseed has been purchased to the extent of 11,000 bags, from store, at $2 27½, gold; and 5,000 bags to arrive, at $2 25, gold, per bushel, the market closing strong and buoyant.

SKINS—Deer have been quiet, with sales of only about 12,000 lbs. Texas, Florida, &c., at 30c.@32c., currency. Receipts, 19 bales from Vera Cruz, 11 do. from New-Orleans, and 7 bales from Indianola. We quote: Honduras Deer, 37½c.; San Juan, 35c.@37c.; Bolivar, 30c.; Ciudad, 44c.; Vera Cruz, 37½c.; Chagres, 45c.; Porto Cabello, 32c.@34c.; Para, 40c., gold; Texas, 35c., gold; Southern and Texas, 30c.@35c., currency. Mexican Goat have been purchased to the extent of 1,100 bales, at about 55c., leaving little, if any, of this description in first hands. Some 60 bales Texas Goat were also sold on private terms. We quote: Tampico Goat, 52½c.@55c.; Matamoras, 52½c.@55c.; Vera Cruz, 52½c., gold, ₱ lb.; Buenos Ayres, 30c.@35c., currency; Payta, 30c.@32c., currency; Curacoa, 33c.@35c., currency; Cape, 38c.@ 41c., currency; Madras, each, 65c.@70c., currency; Patna, each, 45c.@50c., currency.

TALLOW, &c.—Tallow has been in moderately active demand at full rates. Sales have been reported since our last of 140,000 lbs. Tallow at 9¼c.@9¾c. for poor to prime; 48,000 lbs. Stearine at 16¼c.@17c., and 33,000 lbs. Grease at 8¼c.@12c. ₱ lb.

WHISKY—Has been in less demand at drooping prices; sales of 250 bbls., in lots, chiefly at $1 08¾ for wood and iron-bound Western and State pks., ₱ gallon; receipts 490 bbls.

FREIGHTS—There has been an active inquiry for Grain room for English and French ports, at a shade firmer rates; elsewhere the market was quiet. For Liverpool, the engagements included 650 bales Cotton at 5-32d. by sail, and ¼d. by steam, ₱ lb.; 100,000 bushels Wheat at 5d. by sail, and 5¼d. by steam, ₱ bushel. For London, 2,000 bbls. Flour at 2s. 3d. ₱ bbl.; 38,500 bushels Wheat at 7d. ₱ bushel. For Havre, 30,000 bushels Wheat, by steam, part at 8d. ₱ bushel. For Antwerp, 7,800 bushels Wheat at 7¼d. ₱ bushel. For Hamburg, a North German bark, with 4,000 bbls. Petroleum at 4s. 3d. ₱ bbl.

OFFICIAL CITY CANVASS.

DECLARATION OF THE

BOARD OF COUNTY CANVASSERS

OF THE COUNTY OF NEW-YORK IN RELATION TO VOTES GIVEN FOR INSPECTORS OF ELECTION.

The Board of County Canvassers of the County of New-York, having canvassed and estimated the votes given in the several Election Districts of said County, at the general election held on the 17th day of May, 1870, DO HEREBY CERTIFY, DETERMINE AND DECLARE:

FIRST WARD.

That
JAMES P. BURNS and
MICHAEL HALPIN, Jr.,
by the greatest number of votes, were duly elected Inspectors of Election for the First Election District of the First Ward.

That
DENNIS KEENAN and
NICHOLAS F. CORNELY,
by the greatest number of votes, were duly elected Inspectors of Election for the Second Election District of the First Ward.

That
MICHAEL F. GRIFFIN and
HENRY BICK, Jr.,
by the greatest number of votes, were duly elected Inspectors of Election for the Third Election District of the First Ward.

That
FRANK LORENZ and
PATRICK CAVANAGH,
by the greatest number of votes, were duly elected Inspectors of Election for the Fourth Election District of the First Ward.

That
MICHAEL E. DALTON and
JOHN P. RYAN,
by the greatest number of votes, were duly elected Inspectors of Election for the Fifth Election District of the First Ward.

That
RICHARD A. BARTON and
MICHAEL ST. GEORGE,
by the greatest number of votes, were duly elected Inspectors of Election for the Sixth Election District of the First Ward.

SECOND WARD.

That
ARTHUR KEATING and
ARTHUR CARMODY,
by the greatest number of votes, were duly elected Inspectors of Election for the Second Election District of the Second Ward.

That
PETER MONYHAN and
JOHN FAY,
by the greatest number of votes, were duly elected Inspectors of Election for the First Election District of the Second Ward.

THIRD WARD.

That
JAMES FEORE and
ADAM DAUB,
by the greatest number of votes, were duly elected Inspectors of Election for the First Election District of the Third Ward.

That
DANIEL E. FINN and
JEREMIAH RODGERS,
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NEWS OF THE DAY.

EUROPE.

A London dispatch denies that any reports of massacres of Israelites in Roumania have been received there, and says that the Continental news agencies deny that any outrages upon the Jews have occurred in Roumania. A political riot had occurred, according to a Bucharest telegram, at a village in Moldavia, during a local election, which was quelled without the aid of soldiers....The channel match of the Royal Thames Yacht Club took place on Saturday, from the Nore to Dover. No American yachts entered. The winner was Mr. BANTCHU'S cutter *Fiona*.... The Chamber of Accusation of the French High Court has passed indictments against forty-seven of those arrested for conspiracy against the safety of the State and the life of the Emperor; against twenty-two for attempt against the Safety of the State; against three for pillage; against one for assassination, and two for inciting to an attempt against the life of the Emperor. They have been remanded for trial....In the Corps Legislatif of France the Left having demanded the right of public meeting during the elections for Councils-General, OLLIVIER refused, and it was made a Cabinet question and voted on on Saturday. He was sustained by a large majority, and an expected crisis thus averted....ESPATERO has written a letter declaring his determination to refuse the Crown, even if the Cortes decreed it to him. The session of the Cortes in Madrid, on Friday, was devoted to the King question, and by a vote of 106 to 98 it was resolved to take into consideration the proposition that no candidate should be deemed elected unless he receive a majority equal to one-half the full number of Deputies. This action is regarded as equivalent to the defeat of MONTPENSIER, who, it is said, can command but eighty-nine votes....The English captives of the brigands have been rescued and have reached Gibraltar, over which incident there is said to be much rejoicing in London....During the discussion of the *schema* of infallibility in the Roman Council last week, a violent scene is said to have occurred between the Gallican Bishop MARET and Cardinal BILIO, in which bitter retorts were made, causing great excitement among the Fathers. Upon the demand of 150 of the Fathers, the end of the discussion on infallibility in the Ecumenical Council was pronounced on Friday. The Ultramontanists deny the rumor that they will withdraw from the Council when the dogma is proclaimed....The Emperor of Austria has issued a decree announcing a universal exhibition to be held in Vienna in 1873.

CUBA.

A Havana dispatch announces on official authority that the expedition from this City on the *George B. Upton*, which had landed at Punta Brava, a few miles east of Nuevitas, was immediately attacked by Spaniards and gun-boats, and dispersed. Ten of the filibusters were killed, including Capt. HARRISON; two were drowned, and three were made prisoners. The steam launch, rubber rafts, and the cargo of war material, including medicine, was captured, the landing having been successfully effected. The *Upton*, after the landing, sailed for Colombia, to bring 100 Colombians to join the Cubans. The *Voz de Cuba* says the prisoners were immediately executed. The date of the landing is not given.

CONGRESS.

In the Senate, Saturday, the morning hour was devoted to a debate on a resolution to allow the Secretary of the Interior to increase the compensation of Assistant Marshals for taking the new census. The pay, it was claimed, particularly in sparsely-settled districts, was not sufficiently large. No action was, however, taken. At the expiration of the hour the subject went over, and the consideration of the Indian Appropriation bill was resumed. In the debate which ensued, the Quaker policy, in connection with the management of the Indians, was discussed at length. The pending amendment, appropriating $30,000 for the purchase of agricultural implements and supplies, for the use of the Indians on the Northern Superintendency, was finally agreed to by a vote of 33 to 12. At 3:40 P. M. the Senate went into Executive Session, and at 6 o'clock adjourned.

In the House, after the transaction of some general business, and the introduction of a bill providing for mail service in the South American ports by subsidizing a steam-ship company, &c., the bill for the reduction of taxation was proceeded with. The final section was agreed to, when Mr. SCHENCK offered as an amendment the sections relating to the tariff, modified in various particulars. The House refused to second the previous question, and the amendment was withdrawn; but it was afterward again presented, the previous question seconded, and the main question ordered by a vote of 93 to 88, whereupon the opponents of the measure resorted to the usual filibustering tactics to prevent a vote. During the debate Mr. DAWES, by consent, introduced a resolution, which was passed, amending the law appropriating $40,000 for the survey of the Isthmus of Darien, so as to allow the expenditure under the direction of the War or Navy Departments. No final action was taken on the Tax bill, and at 5 P. M. the House adjourned.

GENERAL.

Advices from Hays City, Kansas, contain the announcement of an attack by Indians on a mail station on Bear Creek, between Camp Supply and Hays City, in which two soldiers were killed and a Sergeant wounded. At a point below the station a Mexican servant had been killed and sixty mules run off. A female interpreter reported at Camp Supply a large number of Arapahoes and Cheyennes on the war-path.

The annual session of the German Roman Catholic Central Society began in Louisville yesterday. There was a grand procession at 10 o'clock. The Society will remain in session for three days. It is expected that 10,000 persons will be present.

During the prevalence of a thunder-storm in Chicago yesterday a barn on North-avenue was struck by lightning and three men instantly killed and one wounded. The men were at work outside when the storm began, and went inside to get out of the rain.

The foundry and machine shop of DENNIS LONG & Co., Louisville, Ky., was destroyed by fire on Saturday afternoon. The loss is estimated at $90,000. The hands, numbering 160, are thrown out of employment.

The drouth in Maine is seriously affecting the lumber interest. A Bangor dispatch represents the heated term as unabated, the thermometer yesterday being at 96° in the shade.

The experiment of supplying water to Beacon Hill, Boston, from Roxbury Highlands, was tried on Saturday, and a stream from the "frog-pond" on the Common, was sent 200 feet high by the pressure from the stand-pipe at the Highlands. The Cochituate reservoir on Beacon Hill, it is thought, may be dispensed with.

By direction of the Anglican Bishop of Montreal and Metropolitan, a special thanksgiving was offered in all Anglican churches yesterday for the deliverance of the country from the recent Fenian raid.

Nearly complete returns from the First District of South Carolina show that WHITTEMORE is returned to Congress by about 8,000 majority. The vote, as compared with that of 1868, when WHITTEMORE was first elected, was very light, only one-half of the colored and one-fifth of the white vote being polled.

The "dry spell" throughout the Northwest, which has existed for the past two weeks, was broken on Saturday night and yesterday by fine showers, which seem to have extended over a large territory.

Snow to the depth of six feet has recently fallen in the mountains of Montana.

The funeral of PATRICK HERNAN, who was killed while engaged in an attack with others on Policeman WILLIAM BURKE, took place yesterday. It was attended by a large concourse of the ruffians of the Fourth Ward with whom the deceased is said to have been identified.

Our Police reports this morning show an unusual number of arrests of men who committed crimes while intoxicated. The free flow of liquor on the Sabbath Day is manifestly not conducive to good order.

How Can we Save the State?

We have never been willing to concede that the Republican Party in the State of New-York is afflicted with a mortal disease, nor that it is hopeless for us to undertake to carry the State next November. We believe that with proper concerted action, conceived in the proper spirit, the victory will still be on our side. The enormous Democratic majority in the recent Judicial election was obtained simply because a large percentage of the Republicans absented themselves from the polls, while our opponents brought up a very large proportion of their usual vote. The official canvass shows this beyond all dispute, and a comparison with the votes of previous years proves conclusively that the Republican Party in the State is really as strong as it was in 1868, and that if it could be roused from its present apathy, the triumph would be ours in November.

How this can best be assured is the question which we propose to discuss now. We have exhausted the investigation into the causes which created Republican apathy, or, if not, we have pursued it as far as it is profitable. We now pass to a more practical inquiry: How can we save the State in the next election? We assume that the difficulty lies chiefly and primarily in this City, and that there are two political elements here which paralyze Republican action throughout the State by making success almost impossible. The first of these is the corrupt Democratic organization known as the "Ring;" and the other is the equally discordant, and almost equally venal, class of politicians who seek to rule the councils of the Republican Party. The latter is scarcely less formidable than the former. We venture to make the prediction that if the great body of Republicans who act upon conviction, and have little desire to participate any further than voting, could be assured that they would not be betrayed, and if they could be brought to hope for honest and efficient leadership, they would respond with enthusiasm, and would keep the "Ring" majority in this City down so low that our country friends could easily overcome it.

The first step toward this consummation is to reorganize the party here on some such basis as was attempted last year, although the attempt then proved a failure. We must have but one general Republican organization in the City, in which all the old cliques shall be ignored, and, if necessary, discredited by the State Convention. This accomplished—and it is utterly useless to move until it is—we can carry the organization into every ward and election district, and prepare for the faithful execution of the election laws. If necessary, we can call upon Federal authority to aid in putting an end to the outrages which have been perpetrated by canvassers. A few determined men at each poll, armed with the authority of the law, could secure an honest election. With this assurance before them, thousands of Republicans, who now stay away from what they know to be a mere farce, would gladly go to the polls and vote.

The organization above described must have leaders who will command respect, not only for their recognized ability, but also for their personal and political integrity. In executing the Federal law, the co-operation of the Federal officers in this City must be secured; and to make it effective, those officers must be capable of acting as leaders. This is of the greatest moment. We cannot have third-rate men in first-rate positions. Our local dissensions once healed, and a new organization effected, the answer is found to the question at the head of this article, and Republican success in the State would be assured by legitimate means, without counting upon the co-operation of thirty thousand dissatisfied Democrats, who stand ready to serve their revenges, by open defection, in case the "Ring" shall attempt to nationalize its corrupt tactics, or its ancient policy of exclusion.

Funding the Debt.

The Committee of Ways and Means have done the next best thing to totally rejecting the funding proposition, which the Senate sanctioned in a most objectionable shape, by discarding the idea of compulsory conversion as against the national banks. They have also refused to sanction the projected system of foreign agencies, and have limited the new issue of bonds to a single rate—four per cent. This is, perhaps, the nearest practicable approach, considering the persistency with which Mr. BOUTWELL has pushed his favorite scheme, to acquiescence in the course which the TIMES has from the first maintained. For it cannot be supposed that a four per cent. bond, notwithstanding its exemption from taxation, has at present the remotest chance of success in the market. No holder of the present six per cents, which are equally free from taxes, will voluntarily surrender them in exchange for a security yielding two per cent. less. And neither branch of Congress has given the slightest sanction to coercion as a means to be employed for the advancement of the funding process. In this respect, a scrupulous regard has been shown for everything affecting the inviolability of the public credit.

The desirableness of funding the debt, at the proper time, is undeniable. The convenience of the Government and the interests of the tax-payers would both be consulted by the issue of a single class of securities at a rate of interest lower than the present. Upon this point there is no difference of opinion. The debatable question is as to the time and order of the change. Those who favor it as an immediate change are the opponents of reduced taxation. They would keep the burdens of the people up to the high-pressure mark, in order that the margin available for the payment of unmatured obligations may be as large as possible. This view exacts, above all other things, a continual diminution of a debt not yet due, and the discharge of which is not asked by a single class of creditors. On the other hand, those who share the opinions of the TIMES, urge that funding can wait, without detriment to the public interest; that the relief to be gained by it is not worth the cost which its advocates are prepared to pay for it; that the best preliminary to its enactment is the adoption of a policy which shall promote the prosperity and contentment of the people; and that no other method will so signally contribute to this result as the largest possible reduction of taxation. "Down with the taxes," is the cry first in order; in due time thereafter we shall certainly fund the debt.

The tardiness with which the Ways and Means Committee have traveled toward this conclusion has provoked not a little grumbling. Their slowness is, however, in some degree atoned for by the result. They have made a good beginning in the work of reducing the taxes, and they have so shaped the Funding bill that we may reasonably hope for still further reduction before Mr. BOUTWELL enters upon his cherished task.

The plea that this country should be able to float securities in Europe, yielding no higher rate of interest than is paid by European countries, is manifestly untenable. The borrowing power of a Government is regulated as to rate by the rates which prevail among its own citizens. A nation whose own people are content with three or four per cent. interest on their spare capital, may expect to obtain what it wants at those rates. But in the United States money is worth much more, and the authorities at Washington must regulate their plans accordingly. The credit they may look for abroad will be measured by the credit they command at home; and the strongest of our financiers have not yet dreamed of issuing or accepting a four per cent. bond. The fact indicates the hopelessness of any effort at present to fund the debt at the rate named, and should reconcile the Treasury to a bill in other particulars differing from the policy urged by the Secretary. The wisest course would now be to drop the subject for the session.

The Redeeming Work of the Session.

A multitude of Mr. SCHENCK'S Congressional sins are covered by the vigor and success with which, at the eleventh hour, he has espoused the cause of tax reduction. And the Republican majority in the House, by sustaining his efforts and giving effect to the popular will, have adopted the most effectual method of breaking down hostile criticism, and making sure of victory in the Fall campaign.

The dangers most to be dreaded arose out of the apparent unwillingness or inability of Congress to realize the needs and wishes of the people. Upon this subject, the Press has sent forth no uncertain sound. Months ago it pointed out the diminution of the public burdens as the great want of the time, and it has ever since steadily maintained the same view. To all statements as to the necessity of large and immediate reforms in this direction, Congress seemed indifferent. Questions of minor importance occupied its attention. The representatives of narrow and sinister interests seemed to have ready access to its ear. To the Republican Party out of doors the spectacle was more than disheartening. It looked like mockery of their most cherished hopes. It provoked a suspicion that those on whom the party relied for effective service at Washington neither remembered their responsibilities, nor appreciated their opportunities. Out of this feeling proceeded the loud remonstrances which followed the New-York election, and which have elicited from the House a response the more gratifying, because to some extent it was unexpected.

The reduction of internal taxes has already reached a figure so far in excess of the limit originally fixed by the Ways and Means Committee that it would be ungracious to criticise in an unfriendly spirit every detail of the salutary reform. It is enough that the repeal of some items, and the amendment of others, will remove fifty millions off the shoulders of the people. The lessening of the income tax, the provisions contemplated for divesting its assessment and collection of the features which have rendered it odious, and the repeal of other taxes which fall directly upon trade and transportation, are changes not easily overestimated. They are changes which exhibit a just discrimination as to the sources of internal revenue, and a disposition as quickly as possible to remove from domestic trade the incumbrances which the exigencies of war made inevitable for a time. Fifty millions' reduction in this branch of the revenue service alone will do to start with. Another session, we may fairly hope, will witness the abolition of all internal taxes, with the exception only of the taxes on whisky, tobacco, and the incomes of the well-to-do.

It is, indeed, proposed to take another large step even now. As a part of the general plan for reducing taxes, Mr. SCHENCK has introduced new sections relating to customs duties. These it is intended to reduce to the extent of twenty millions or thereabout. Some duties are reduced,—notably those on tea and coffee; and considerable additions are made to the free list. In the selection of the former items, Mr. SCHENCK has been more or less guided by decisions of the House during the progress of his Tariff bill. It would be easy to object to the schedule now presented. There is room for wide differences of opinion in regard to the reductions, and also in regard to the new features of the free list. From the latter, articles are still omitted which, in our opinion, should be there. But the moment is not propitious for suggesting amendments which, by opening too many avenues to discussion, might endanger the whole of the tariff sections. We take them gladly for what they are worth,—and, as we have said, that is nearly twenty millions. Seventy millions or more, as the result of the House bill for the reduction of taxes, should not be accepted ungrudgingly. So large a reduction of taxation will form the redeeming event of the session.

For this work, let it be remembered, the country will owe scanty thanks to the Democrats, who are evidently unwilling that the Republican majority shall have the credit which will be inseparable from a diminution of taxes. The proceedings in the House on Saturday convict the Democratic minority of a desire to delay, and by delaying to jeopardize, the whole bill. We would not narrow the privileges of the opposition, nor object to the free use of weapons which parliamentary practice sanctions as a check upon the arbitrary action of a majority. But a measure which reduces taxes between sixty and seventy millions does not afford a decent pretext for filibustering, and the Democrats who resort to it confess that they care more for partisanship than for the people.

A Word in Season.

The difficulties in the way of any individual with honorable aims making himself prominent are increasing in the City of New-York, as in London and Paris. The vast crowd of competitors swallows up personality. There are too many objects of attention to allow the multitude to think long of any one person or thing. There is, however, a field open, where any individual of adequate ability and character, could make his name almost immortal in this metropolis. If suddenly, by some strange chance, a man of administrative talent should make his appearance in New-York, and should really and truly be seeking the public interest, and possess organizing faculty sufficient to secure it, we can hardly measure the public honor and renown that would follow him.

What we most sorely need are new men, who will manage their respective departments as a great merchant manages his business, and who possess the rare combination of honesty, organizing talent, and popular power. We believe that any one such man, in any single bureau of our City Government, would win an admiration and respect which, to an ambitious nature, are above the highest rewards; and he would in time be enriched by a grateful community. Let us take, for instance, such a bureau as the Health Board. The comfort, health, and lives of the whole community depend on its wise and energetic action. The new Board starts on its career with no great hopes from the public. There seemed no reason, except one of partisanship, why the old one should have been broken up. Many of the new members have manifestly no experience in sanitary science. Yet the whole public watch their action with the most eager attention, and a readiness to interpret well and applaud whatever is honestly and wisely done. If but one leading member of this Board, say an experienced sanitarian like Dr. STEPHEN SMITH, would set himself thoroughly and actively to work to correct our sanitary abuses, and to make our City, what it ought to be—the healthiest City in the world—boundless applause and public gratitude would follow his labors.

We are approaching our usual dangerous season. The hot weather will soon convert the heaps of garbage in the streets of the Eleventh and Seventeenth Wards into a hot-bed of fever and pestilence. The tenement caravansaries in the crowded eastern German quarter will be infected with dysentery, cholera infantum, typhus, and all the throng of human ills which follow heat and overcrowding. There will be the usual terrible mortality of infants. Diseases will soon overleap the barriers of class and fortune, and the wealthy wards feel the infection of the poor. Death will take its easy flight from the dens of Cherry-street and Corlear's Hook, and appear suddenly in the grand houses of Murray Hill and Park-avenue. The "fatal bolt," the seed of poison, the fungus of pestilence, or whatever we may call the unseen agency, will come from the same source—the filth, squalor, and neglect in the lanes and tenements of the poor.

What is the new Board doing to ward off these dangers? The old Board, with all its merits, was never able to accomplish one thing—that is, the checking overcrowding in tenement-houses, and residence in unhealthy underground abodes. Much talk was held over these vital reforms, but nothing was ever accomplished. Now, cannot the new Board, without any special act of the Legislature, under the general provisions of their charter, which require it to guard the public health, pass an ordinance that only a certain number of persons shall occupy a given cubic space of room, whether as residents or lodgers? It might take the average cubic feet allowed to each person in the London sanitary ordinances, as that would be sure to be small enough, and would, therefore, involve no hardship to the keepers of the tenement-house or lodging-room. Any violation of this ordinance it could prosecute under the general act, or if not, under some existing act. The simple order, however, without punishment, would break up great numbers of these crowded pits and dens, where so much crime and disease are born and nourished. Their wretched inmates would board or reside elsewhere; some perhaps leaving the City for the country; others seeking less crowded quarters.

Then, again, as to the cellar population. If we mistake not, the Tenement-house act gives the Board power to control this evil; and if not, its general act does. Let it take a single ward, the First for instance, and give notice in the coming mild weather, when it will involve no hardship, that after a particular date certain specified cellars (which are usually half full of water and without ventilation) must be vacated. If the order is not obeyed, then let the Board proceed against the owners, or turn the tenants into the streets. They are not fit places for human habitations, and the residents are much better off even in the Station-houses. In point of fact, however, they would find dwellings elsewhere, or emigrate to the suburban districts. Liverpool turned out thus twenty thousand cellar tenants in a single year, and greatly diminished her death-rate. When will the new Board carry out these great and needed reforms?

Suburban Railways.

Now that the Arcade Railroad scheme is laid aside, at least until the objectionable features of its charter are modified, inventors and capitalists have another year before them in which they may devise some safe and effective system of fast City traffic—the greatest want, but one, of the Metropolis. It certainly does seem, after London, for instance, is bridged and tunneled in every direction by good and paying railroads, that engineering difficulties could be overcome here, and that a respectable revenue could be assured without granting unlimited and dangerous powers to a private company.

But there is a greater want than the want of steam travel in New-York, and that is, cheap and frequent suburban steam travel for thirty miles around the City. This enterprise involves no unusual engineering conditions; its principal works are already in existence, it interrupts no thoroughfares, imperils no massive buildings, cuts off no systems of water supply and drainage, requires no immense expenditure for continuous bridging or continuous rock-tunneling. It, moreover, asks no rights from the City except footholds on its outskirts, and raises none of the difficult legal questions that have so delayed, and must always embarrass, the introduction of steam traffic through New-York.

We have ten principal railroads running out of New-York and its immediate suburbs, to the remoter cities and villages within thirty miles; and despite the slow, infrequent and costly means of transit now provided, the number of people doing business in New-York who prefer these suburban retreats is counted by the ten thousand. Hundreds of residences and groups of residences have grown up, even out of walking distance from stations, so great and wholesome a desire have our people for country life.

If, now, on the present railways, the smaller groups of residences could be connected with the larger outlying towns, by steam carriages or light trains, and these larger towns with the Metropolis by express trains, the time and money of all would be economized. The present trains, carrying three hundred or five hundred passengers each, stop just often enough to be slow and costly to the last endurable degree, and yet they do not stop often enough to really accommodate half the people on the line, or a tenth part of those who would populate it if they could get to stations without keeping horses. And if, instead of our ten roads to the country, we had twenty roads, and a hundred branches, built and equipped, not at the rate of fifty thousand dollars a mile like a trunk line, but following the surface, with a narrow gauge and steam carriage trains—hundreds of square miles of splendid residential country, between the City and Stamford, Tarrytown, Plainfield, or New-Brunswick—a territory large enough to give a house and a farm garden to every business man on Manhattan Island—would be made accessible and become populated.

For suburban railroad traffic we have no means except trunk lines, with their heavy works, ponderous trains, thirty-ton engines and all the appointments for long passenger and immense freight business. The principal trains are made up of locomotives and cars which average 2,000 pounds, dead weight of iron and wood, for every passenger seat in the train. So that each passenger (averaging 150 pounds weight) pays, say, about two mills per mile for himself, and two cents and eight mills for his proportion of this dead weight.

While it is true that railway companies cannot afford to stop their present caravans at every doorstep, it does not follow that they cannot build up and accommodate continuous streets of residences for hundreds of miles, within an hour of this City, by simply adapting their conveyances and branches to the particular service required. There are many of these light railways and steam-carriages abroad—in Sweden, for instance, the rolling stock of such roads weighs but seven hundred to eight hundred pounds per passenger, instead of two thousand, as upon our lines; and yet it moves at the speed of our local trains, and affords equal convenience and safety. That suitable means for fast, frequent, and cheap suburban transit have not long since been provided by our existing railway companies, especially since the engineering and the financial questions have been fully worked out abroad, is simply disgraceful to their management.

Juvenile Vagrants.

The old "Board of Charities and Correction" has long distinguished itself by a wise and humane management of the extended charities committed to its charge. The new Board is, up to this time, simply the old Board with one Democratic member added, and a Democratic President, and it has probably a more partisan character attached to it than heretofore. With gentlemen of such well-known character and experience as Gen. BOWEN and Mr. BELL, we may hope that the new organization will not be allowed to become a mere party tool. The experiments they have been trying the past few years in the care of their unfortunate subjects, are of great consequence in connection with the whole science of the treatment of pauperism and crime. They show an intelligence and appreciation of the modern systems of reform which are worthy of all praise. Gen. BOWEN'S experiment with the "school-ship," made in spite of much opposition and indifference, has been a thorough success. Its theory is that there are a considerable number among the "bad boys," whose faults have come in a degree from their excess of animal vitality, their love of adventure and excitement, and who, therefore, are not fitted for an ordinary tame "reformatory," but who can be made something of by the stir, bustle, love of honor, and the discipline aboard ship. Their pent-up vivacity can find vent in the work and adventure of the life even on a school-ship, while they secure all the instruction and training of a regular reform school. They come forth also from a several years' course, trained seamen, having learned a profession, and an important one too. Many will naturally henceforth gratify their vagrant propensities in a natural and legitimate way, by sailing over distant seas; and with all, the hot young blood will be somewhat cooled by good steady work in the open air.

The school-ship manifestly would not do for all criminal and destitute lads, but for the hardiest and most adventurous it seems a very proper institution. Among the other experiments of the Commission, we regret that they have never tried one which has been so long needed in this State, and which long since ought to have been commenced by the Houses of Refuge—namely, a "Farm-school Reformatory." The best business for an ordinary lad in this country is that of the farmer and gardener. In this there is always a demand for labor, and fair wages are paid. It takes the boy far from the temptations and vagrancy of a large city. The old world Farm-school Reformatories have been successful far beyond any other. But better even than this, was the method inaugurated by the old Board, and which we regret to hear has been abandoned by the new, of sending the children who were simply destitute and homeless, through the Children's Aid Society, to country homes. The best asylum possible for a homeless or abandoned boy or girl, is the farmer's home, by the influences of which many a poor castaway has been made an industrious and useful member of society.

Congress seems at last to have wakened to a sense of the importance of immediate action upon the leading measures which have so long been pending, and the indications are that important action will be had today. The Tariff bill will probably be pressed to a final vote, and, it is to be hoped, be disposed of in some satisfactory form. Mr. SCHENCK'S Funding bill will also be brought up in conjunction with the Currency bill. These important measures will probably absorb the whole day, although it is not likely that the latter will be disposed of. We shall be satisfied if the Tariff bill is got out of the way to-morrow, and trust it may be. Almost any amount of actual accomplishment, which would betoken a disposition and a prospect of getting through by the 15th of July, would be acceptable to the people, and would go far to retrieve the reputation of that body.

The premature promulgation of Gen. BANKS' majority report in favor of a declaration of neutrality between the Spanish authorities and the Cuban insurgents, seems to have stirred up a counter-movement to sustain the Administration in the course heretofore pursued. It is announced that a minority report will soon be presented, by Judge ORTH, which we presume will traverse the conclusion of fact arrived at by Gen. BANKS, that the insurrection has maintained itself sufficiently long and successfully to justify the course which he advocates. We presume the minority report will be sustained, for the House is strongly disposed to sustain the President's administration of affairs, even upon a point which appeals to the popular sympathy so strongly as the Cuban insurrection. The debate will probably be had this week.

Yesterday's Police record, which will be found in another column, contains what ought to be an effective argument in favor of the enactment of a stringent Sunday Excise law in this City. Thirteen cases of violence in various forms are reported, all, or nearly all, the result of intoxication. These include stabbing, shooting, highway robbery, assaults, burglary, and drunken savagery generally. In every case, we believe, the inciting cause of the crime, or attempted crime, is traceable directly to the repeal of the Excise law. If these demonstrations of lawlessness and brutality shall continue to increase in the future in the same ratio that they have since the new Excise law went into effect, our City will be a disgrace to the civilization of the age, besides being positively dangerous on the Sabbath. The cause cannot be removed under the existing law; but our Police and Courts can, if they are so disposed, restrain violence by vigilance and severe punishment, and we call upon them to act accordingly.

Every friend of humanity and religious tolerance will rejoice over the contradiction of the reported massacre of Jews by the Roumanian Christians. The report was probably a gross exaggeration of a comparatively trivial collision which took place last week in a Moldavian village. The very general expression of indignation which it elicited is significant of a changed feeling toward the Jewish people upon the part of Christians, and of a deprecation of the proscription which has been practiced toward them for centuries. Our Washington specials informed us that the President took the only step in his power to secure an official expression of condemnation of the inhumanities which were said to have been practiced.

Senator MORRILL does not seem inclined to yield the question of protection to American shipping without another struggle, but proposes to renew the proposition of Mr. LYNCH'S bill, which was defeated last week, in another form. We should have supposed that the emphatic vote already had would have been effectual, but the subject is one of controlling importance to Mr. MORRILL'S constituents in Maine, which may explain, if it does not justify, the renewal of the struggle, to the obstruction of other important measures which are pressing for action by Congress.

A great deal has been said about objecting to candidates for public positions on the score of their religious belief. It is very improper to make any such objections in most cases—but who has done it? After all this hue and cry, where is the offender? We published a letter the other day strongly recommending a certain candidate because he was a Catholic. It is generally understood that when a newspaper prints the letter of a correspondent it does not necessarily indorse all his views—and we may have had our own opinions about the fitness of the gentleman recommended by a "Republican." But it suited some of that gentleman's advocates and supporters to represent that we had opposed him on religious grounds—whereas we had merely allowed a correspondent to recommend him very strongly on those grounds. We did exactly the opposite of what was attributed to us. It is very hard to please people who read everything in a crooked manner. A "Republican" is doubtless overwhelmed with remorse at the mischief he has stirred up, and we only hope he will refrain from making any more nominations to the Collectorship. His first choice did not command our assent, while it gave great offense to his favorite candidate's personal friends. Our correspondent had better not interfere any more in politics. He must leave the "parasites" to settle these matters.

We have already adverted to the shortcomings of the "Churches" in regard to missionary effort among the Indians. The Committee of Foreigns Missions contains in its late report to the General Presbyterian Assembly at Philadelphia, some statements on the same subject which fully justify our remarks. There can, indeed, be little doubt that an increasing tendency exists in some quarters to treat the Indians as a race fit only to be exterminated. It is reassuring, however, to notice that the Assembly authorized its Board of Missions "to put forth its utmost effort to accomplish the humane and benignant purpose" of bringing the aborigines under Christian influences. The difficulties in the way of such efforts are, of course, great, but considerations of that kind did not check the missionary spirit in the earlier days of Christianity.

The Legislature of Connecticut is discussing the propriety of having but one State capital, to be situated at Hartford, as was the case under colonial rule. The territory now embraced in the State was originally occupied by two colonies quite independent of each other, and known as Connecticut and New-Haven. These, with the Colonies of Massachusetts and Plymouth, formed a union in 1643 under the name of New-England, which was the germ of the federal idea subsequently incorporated in the United States Constitution. Eighteen years afterward the Colonies of Connecticut and New-Haven were forcibly united by charter of King CHARLES II. For many years the public records were kept at Hartford, and the General Assembly met there; but for the last 170 years the sessions have been held alternately in Hartford and New-Haven. Hartford is now desirous of again securing the sole supremacy, and a proposition to submit the question to a popular vote was recently defeated in the Legislature.

AMUSEMENTS.

Miscellaneous Notes.

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR TO-NIGHT.

The Summer season will be commenced at Wallack's this evening by the performance of Mr. BROUGHAM'S new drama of "The Red Light," by the author and an efficient company. At Niblo's the first representation of "Not Guilty" can be attended. The last rehearsal of "The Good-natured Man" takes place at the Fifth-avenue for the benefit of Mr. ROBERTS, the accomplished scenic artist. At Wood's Museum the pantomime of "Hop O' My Thumb" will be interpreted by the MARTINETTIS. The *pièce de résistance* at the Bowery will be the "Corsican Brothers." Our Brooklyn readers ought to bear in mind the special performance of "The Lancers," by all the artists who acted that piece at Wallack's, at their Academy this evening.

GRAND OPERA-HOUSE CONCERTS.

A concert was given last evening at the Grand Opera-House, with the participation, principally, of the orchestra which Mr. MARETZEK directed at the recent Ninth Regiment Reception. The spacious auditorium was crowded by an assembly in which many known faces were conspicuous. The instrumental music being well selected and interpreted, there was no cause for complaint at its excess over the quantity of vocal compositions. Of the first-named element of the programme, Mr. MARETZEK'S new and dashing "Erie Galop" was a part, while ROSSINI, MENDELSSOHN, STRAUSS, MEYERBEER and WAGNER contributed to it, in turn, familiar numbers. The singing of Herr FRITSCH, whose grand voice impressed the hearer quite deeply with a "Salve" by MARSCHNER, and the *ad captandum* strength of Miss NULLY PIERIS, whose voice is of too good quality and range to be suffered to want for culture, afforded the most evident pleasure of the entertainment. Miss PIERIS sang the "Inflammatus," from ROSSINI'S "Stabat Mater," and GOUNOD'S "Ave Maria."

BEETHOVEN FESTIVAL.

A very little information is to be added to the notices of the Beethoven Festival already printed in these columns. We are requested, however, to state that the transformation of the Coliseum auditorium into a thoroughly comfortable place having been effected, and the engagements of the numerous artists having been terminated, the sale of tickets will be commenced this day at SCHIRMER'S, No. 701 Broadway; DITSON'S, No. 711 Broadway; DODD'S, No. 914 Broadway, and DEVLIN'S, No. 2 Wall-street.

WASHINGTON.

The Tax Reduction Bill—The Contest Today—Funding and Banking Measures—Reports on Cuban Affairs—San Domingo—The Shipping Interest—City Politics—Revenue Matters.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

WASHINGTON, June 5.—The House will open, to-morrow, with a renewal of the fight on the tariff. There will probably be no more serious attempts at filibustering, as even the most rabid Democratic free-trader cannot long withstand the odium of resisting, by such tactics, the passage of a bill which proposes to reduce taxation sixty-five millions. The contest in the morning will be on the vote to lay on the table the motion to reconsider the vote whereby the main question was ordered on the pending section. Should the House refuse to lay the motion on table then the vote will be reconsidered, and an opportunity probably afforded to vote separately on a number of the leading paragraphs of the section—such as iron, steel, hemp, oils, woolen and cotton goods, tea, sugar, and coffee. Should the motion to lay on the table be carried, the section will be agreed to by a nearly unanimous Republican vote, as Gen. SCHENCK says the reduction by the tariff amendment is fully $15,000,000.

THE FUNDING BILL.

Gen. SCHENCK did not get his Funding bill before the House yesterday, owing to the filibustering of the Democrats. It will be expected tomorrow morning, however. It does not contain anything beyond the points already given in these dispatches. An effort will be made to have the funding and currency measures considered together, so that the features of the latter which apply to the banks may harmonize with the class of bonds which shall be authorized by the Funding bill.

THE CUBAN QUESTION.

Gen. BANKS having made his long expected report on Cuban affairs to the newspapers, the other half of his Committee, headed by Judge OAKEY, will in a few days present a dissenting report to the House, in which the position of the Administration on this matter will be sustained and its action vindicated. The debate on these propositions will probably open this week.

DOMINICAN ANNEXATION.

The San Domingo treaty is stronger by the votes of two prominent Senators who have come over to its support during the past week. If only needs one or two more converts to insure its passage. One of the lamest attempts to manufacture sentiment against the treaty was made last week by the correspondent of one of your contemporaries, which pretends to be friendly to the project and yet gives it a stab at every opportunity. The correspondent manufactured a story about the jobs in the treaty, with which he said it was reported and believed Gen. BABCOCK was connected. He then had the assurance to call upon the President for a vindication of Gen. BABCOCK from these charges. The President, instead of shutting the door in the face of such impudence, condescended to inform the correspondent that he believed Gen. BABCOCK to be an honest man, and that the charges were wholly without foundation.

SHIPPING.

Senator MORRILL, of Maine, will endeavor to secure the passage of a measure for the revival of our shipping interests, by moving it as an amendment to one of the Appropriation bills. It will probably embody some of the features of Mr. LYNCH's bill which failed in the House.

THE MUNICIPAL ELECTION.

The city election, for Mayor and members of the Common Council, takes place to-morrow, and promises to be a very exciting and hotly-contested affair. Some fears of an outbreak are entertained, and Mayor BOWEN is out in a letter of advice to his friends today counseling moderation, forbearance, peace and order. The Police force has also been largely augmented. Many of the leading merchants announce that their places of business will be closed. The candidates, Mayor BOWEN and Hon. M. G. EMORY are both Republicans. The *Chronicle* supports the former, and the *Republican* and *Star* the latter. A large number of Republicans, both black and white, as well as all the Democrats and Conservatives, support Mr. EMORY, and it looks to-night as though he will be elected. But as the leaders on the other side are numerous, active, and some of them very unscrupulous, it is impossible to predict the result with certainty. In either case the colored element will be well represented in the City Government, as both parties have nominated a full proportion of colored men on the ward tickets.

THE ISRAELITES IN ROUMANIA.

The State Department has as yet received no official information in reference to the reported massacre of the Jews by the Christians at Roumania, Turkey. President GRANT paid a visit to the State Department today, and during his interview with the Secretary of State, requested him to obtain full and reliable information in relation to this alleged massacre, and in the meantime to do all in his power to have the Turkish Government stop such persecution.

REVENUE STAMPS.

The following is the number and value of revenue stamps sold by the Revenue Bureau for the month of May:

	Number.	Value.
Tobacco stamps	17,907,976	$2,939,712 14
Distilled spirits stamps	405,550	5,088,275 00
Beer stamps	2,691,354	865,540 08
All other kinds	39,848,948	1,753,579 84
Total value of stamps sold		$10,651,117 06

The Bureau had on hand today near 23,000,000 stamps, the total value of which is nearly $8,000,000.

THE TAX ON STOCK OPERATIONS.

Hon. H. G. STEBBINS, of New-York, is here as the representative of the New-York Stock Exchange to look after the onerous taxes inflicted upon the business in stocks by the new bill. In addition to all former taxes, an amendment to the bill, made in the House, adds 06 to every sale of every hundred shares of stock, which, as Mr. AMBLER avowed his object to be, is literally taxing the business out of existence. When fully understood, it is not likely to avail.

Dispatch to the Associated Press.

DEATH OF A POLITICIAN.

JONAH D. HOOVER died here today, aged forty-eight years. He was Marshal for the District of Columbia under President PIERCE, and previous to the late war was well known in political circles throughout the country, both as President of the Jackson Democratic Association and as a member of the National Democratic Committees and Delegations. He had been in bad health for the last ten years, and was personally highly esteemed by men of all shades of politics.

AFFAIRS IN TENNESSEE.

It is expected that at the next meeting of the Committee on Reconstruction, legislation will be proposed concerning the State of Tennessee. Representatives MAYNARD and STOKES, and other prominent gentlemen who are opposed to the present condition of affairs, ask that Congress pass a law declaring that the Legislature is an illegal body, as they claim the majority of its members were elected against the provisions of the Constitution, blanks with signatures having been circulated by wholesale, and filled with names of persons who were excluded from voting by reason of their connection with the rebellion. It does not seem probable, however, that Congress will have time to definitely act upon the subject, in view of the pressure of other business.

A NORTH CAROLINA UNIONIST.

The Senate Committee on Military Affairs has submitted a report, saying:

"The evidence in this case shows that Lieut. SHELTON, who asks to be allowed pay, recruited and organized a full company of loyal North Carolinians, and was appointed First Lieutenant of said company by Major-Gen. SCHOFIELD, to date 1st day of September, 1863, the day his company was organized. That owing to the unsettled condition of the army in East Tennessee at that time, and the seige of Knoxville soon following, Lieut. SHELTON was unable to be mustered in. After the siege of Knoxville was raised, Lieut. SHELTON was ordered by Gen. SCHOFIELD, with a detachment of his company, to join the Third North Carolina Mounted Infantry to make a raid into the enemy's lines for the purpose of destroying the railroad bridges between Greensboro and Salisbury, N. C., a distance of 300 miles in the rebel lines, which cut off the enemy's communication with Richmond. Lieut. SHELTON remained on duty with the Third North Carolina Mounted Infantry, by orders of Gen. SCHOFIELD, being constantly in front on active duty. His company was full and complete, and there was no other First Lieutenant in said company; and that he never received any pay as said officer. The Committee therefore report a bill and recommend its passage, giving SHELTON the pay of a First Lieutenant of Infantry from Sept. 1, 1863, to Aug. 16, 1865, less payment received as a private.

THE BIBLE IN THE SCHOOLS.

Discourse by Rev. Edward P. Ingersoll in the Middle Reform Church in Brooklyn.

The following sermon was preached, yesterday, by Rev. EDWARD PAYSON INGERSOLL, in the Middle Reform Church, Brooklyn, founded on the subjoined text:

"To the law and to the testimony: if they speak not according to this word it is because there is no light in them."—Isaiah, viii., 20.

The American Republic was built upon the Bible. The great fact that stands above all others is the fact that the Bible sent our forefathers to these shores; that it was the binnacle of their hopes; that it was the right arm of their prosperity. The earliest colonial enactments recognized the absolute necessity of placing the Christian religion as the corner-stone of government. From the pulpit, too, as history affirms, came the first enunciation of those principles that led to this Republican Government. "Thinking upon the passage, (says one old divine,) 'where the spirit of the Lord is there is liberty,' I was brought to reflect upon how good a thing it would be to have a free government." And the free government came; under the sanction of the Christian religion it came. It was born of its spirit; it was baptized at its altars. In the the dark days of the Revolution, when it struggled for birth, men acknowledged that it was that fervent first prayer in Congress that brought them deliverance; and in that original Constitution was written what now stands: "Religion, morality and knowledge, being necessary to a good Government and the happiness of mankind, schools and the means of education shall forever be encouraged." "Religion!" What religion is meant? Surely, that which inspired our patriot fathers to renounce allegiance to a foreign potentate. Christianity became the law of the land. Says BLACKSTONE, "Christianity is a part of the law of England," and in a note to the American edition of his commentaries we read, "We have received the Christian religion as a part of the common law." The Courts of New-York State have affirmed the same. Mr. WEBSTER, in his celebrated argument in the Girard case, says "Christianity is the law of the land." Judge STORY, in his *Commentaries on the Constitution*, says, "It is impossible for those who believe in the truths of Christianity as a Divine revelation, to doubt, that it is the special duty of Government to foster and cherish it among all the citizens and subjects." Judge DUNCAN, of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania, in a judicial decision, says: "Christianity is and always has been a part of the common law" of the State. "It is impossible," he adds, "to administer the laws without taking the religion which the defendant in error has scoffed at—that Scripture which he has reviled as their basis." Yes, laws, oaths, customs, Sabbaths, and the whole history of our nation; everything declares that Christianity, broad, generous, tolerant Christianity, that which is independent of sects and creeds, of sword and fagot, that which springs from the Bible, is the law of the land. That brilliant Frenchman and conscientious Roman Catholic preacher, Father HYACINTHE, who has but recently left our shores, said, when here: "The foundation of your people is the Bible; the Book that speaks of God; the living Word of Jesus Christ. * * * The belief in Jesus Christ is the root of this nation. * * * I have found here liberty associated with Christianity, and have been among a people who do not think to be free they must be parted from God." It stands as a fact, then, that this nation is a Christian nation. Its Constitution plants itself upon religion. Laws and customs and judicial decisions have affirmed it. Does it stand also as a necessity? Can there be a free Government without the recognition of a God? There never has been. No human Government has ever existed without a belief in a Divinity, and a national recognition of such a belief. Every nation of antiquity has been closely allied to some religion. Experience has taught that men cannot be controlled without appeals to the religious sentiment. Said WASHINGTON, in his Farewell Address: "Whatever may be conceded to the influence of a refined education upon minds of a peculiar structure, reason and experience both forbid us to expect that national morality can prevail in exclusion of religious principle." If, then, the morality of the State depends upon the inculcation of religious sentiments, does it not rest within the power of the State to train its citizens and those who are to become citizens in religious truth? Has it not within the power of self-preservation? May it shut men up in prisons for crime, and yet have no authority to inculcate principles and truths that are the only safeguard against crime? These facts have been given and principles affirmed, because there has been for many years past a systematic effort to exclude the Bible from our public schools, upon the ground that it is not the province or right of the Government to teach religious truth. This effort has been pressed by the Romanists of our country, aided and encouraged by the infidel minds of community, and will be pressed so long as there is any hope of success. The history of Romanism is a history of silent, persistent effort, where they have not yet the power to rule. Their rallying cry is given, orders passed down the line, and then on to the biter end they march in solid phalanx. Such an army is now in the land. I do not come to pronounce anathemas or hurl maledictions. I do not sympathize with those who are ready for rash quixotic sallies. Our weapons are not carnal. But I do stand with those who think it right to speak out clearly and positively, and show the rocks upon which our good ship of State is in danger of running. I would hold to the Bible in our schools, because its truths brought common schools into existence. Its great teachings are the basis of all religion in this land. I would hold to the Bible in impressing those broad foundation truths which all Christians acknowledge. Beyond this it is not our right to go. The Bible is its own best interpreter. Like the sun, it reveals itself. It is God's book, therefore it cannot be sectarian. No gift of the Common Father is sectarian. You might as well talk of sectarian rocks and trees, of sectarian soil, of sectarian oceans or stars, of a sectarian sun, as of a sectarian Bible

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

The week that has past has been quite an unusual one in the Real Estate market, particularly so for this season of the year. The transactions at the Exchange have been large, and of such a nature as to attract public attention, while the results cannot fail to have an influence on the future. The prices obtained for City lots belonging to the Dyckman estate, sold on Wednesday and Thursday last, were good, and the sale was remarkable from the fact that all the lots, 903 in number, were sold to *bona fide* purchasers, at an average of over $400 per lot. In this connection it must be borne in mind that, although the streets are marked out, they are not yet laid out, and the owners of this property must in time pay on it large amounts in assessments for taxes, grading, paving, sewerage, pipe laying, &c. Some years must also necessarily elapse before the lots will be required for building purposes, and when all these necessary expenditures are considered, some estimate can be formed of the real value of the property in this vicinity. A reason why the water-lots on the property sold brought such large figures, will be found in a great measure owing to the improvements now in progress for the benefit of navigation in Hell Gate channel, which, when accomplished, will render them particularly desirable for the construction of docks, &c. Another fact was also demonstrated at this sale—namely, the desire of capitalists to acquire possession of lots on Manhattan Island. To this end a strong competition was shown, the result of which was the good prices obtained. Although rents have fallen, and improved property is lower in value than for several years past, still, lots are in demand, for the reason that each one occupied correspondingly decreases the number left in the market, upon which, it is claimed, buildings can now be erected at a much less cost than formerly. The fall in gold, and the decrease in the price of labor and materials, renders it possible to put up new buildings, and to rent them at a profit, that will more than offset the decrease in rents for houses constructed in high-priced times, especially during the war. That this is the general opinion of trustees and contractors, will be found to be the fact, upon consulting the list of proposed new buildings published each week in the TIMES, which shows that the business is largely on the increase when compared with the last two or three years. It is rumored that another sale is to come off early in the Fall of another section of the Dyckman estate, which will be divided into lots and offered to the public on similar terms as characterized the sale of last week.

In addition to the above sale ROBERTS & MCGUIRE, last week at the Exchange, disposed of a large lot of City property at good advantage, as did also A. J. BLEECKER, SON & CO. Good sales were also made by A. D. MELLICK, JR., & BROTHER, of property at Bloomfield, N. J., and by E. H. LUDLOW & CO., of property on Staten Island. Out of town, JOHNSON & MILLER had a very successful sale at Linden Park, Staten Island, and A. D. MELLICK, JR., & BROTHER at Passaic, N. J.

This week promises also to be a busy one, and the sales announced are as follows: Today, at noon, on the ground, A. D. MELLICK, JR., & BRO. sold ninety eligible villa plots overlooking Dundee Lake, at Passaic, N. J. This property is but forty minutes' distant from New-York by the Erie Railway and well located; the lake is a beautiful one, three miles in length, furnishing facilities for fishing and boating, and the lots are deemed as desirable as any in this section. Persons wishing to attend the sale will take the 10:15 A. M. train, for which excursion tickets have been issued, and a collation will be spread on the arrival of the train.

To-morrow, (Tuesday,) on the premises at noon, LAWRENCE, OAKLEY & FLEURY sell 351 valuable lots, located at Flushing, Long Island. These lots are within five minutes' walk of the depot, and distant thirty minutes from New-York. The terms of sale are easy and the lots will be sold without reserve to the highest bidder. Free tickets are furnished to those who desire to be present at the sale, and all such will take boat at Thirty-fourth-street, East River, 10¾, or James-slip, 10½ A. M., thence by special train direct to the property.

To-morrow, also, at 10 A.M., at the vestibule of the City Hall, B. P. FAIRCHILD, under the direction of the Department of Public Works, will sell all buildings and parts of buildings taken by the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, appointed by the Supreme Court, for the widening and extension of Laurens-street, from Canal-street to Waverley-place, in the City of New-York.

On Wednesday, on the ground, at 4 P. M., MALLORY & BLACKWELL sell, at Tarrytown, the "Knowlton Place," consisting of a brick house in good order, together with one and one-half acres of land. The property is near the depot, and in other respects well situated. Parties can leave New-York on the 2 P. M. train, and return after the sale on the train arriving in New-York at 6¼ P. M.

On Friday, at the Exchange, A. J. BLEECKER, SON & Co. sell a large property located at Tremont, in Westchester County. The property is a part of the Abraham Bassford estate, and consists of about 130 finely-situated City lots, which will be disposed of in plots of convenient size.

The sales of City property at the Exchange during the past week amount to the sum of $786,550. The number of transfers for the same time is 211, representing property valued at $3,207,643.

The sale of A. D. MELLICK, JR., & Brother, of lots at Passaic, N. J., on Saturday last, was well attended and the results entirely satisfactory. About 200 persons were present from this City. All the lots offered were disposed of, and the total sales amounted to $25,815. Each lot as noted below is 25x100. The following is a detailed statement of the transactions:

PASSAIC, N. J.
By A. D. Mellick, Jr., & Brother.

5 lots, Bloomfield-av., each	$190
6 lots, Bloomfield-av., each	165
5 lots adjoining on north, each	135
5 lots opposite, each	110
5 lots adjoining, each	115
1 lot corner Bloomfield-av. and Lackawanna av.	185
9 lots on Lackawanna-av., adjoining, each	165
16 lots on Lackawanna-av., adjoining, each	115
9 lots on Lackawanna-av., adjoining, each	150
8 lots w. s. of Bloomfield-av., each	210
8 lots adjoining on the n., each	195
5 lots adjoining on the n., each	190
6 lots corner Maple-st. and Lackawanna-av., each	145
3 lots on Maple-st., rear of last, each	95
3 lots on Bloomfield-av., each	205
3 lots adjoining, each	190
3 lots on Maple-st., each	90
3 lots on Maple-st., each	90
12 lots on Bloomfield-av., each	152
6 lots on Maple-av., each	100
3 lots on Maple-av., each	120
12 lots on Maple-av., each	85
8 lots on Lackawanna, Maple and Bloomfield avs., each	255
1 lot on Bloomfield-av., e. s.	90
1 lot, rear last, same side	120
10 lots adjoining last, each	115
10 lots on Bloomfield-av., w. s., each	140

Transfers of Real Estate.

NEW-YORK CITY.

Bayard-st., n. s., 522 ft. w. of Mulberry-st., 47.10 x74.6	$27,500
Columbia-st., w. s., 125 ft. n. of Delancey-st., 25 x100	8,000
Carmine-st., n. s., 359.4 ft. e. of Hudson-st., 47.10 x20.8x44.4x157.5x29	62,000
Hornita-st., n. s., No. 51, 23x84.3	18,000
Suffolk-st., w. s., 80 ft. s. of Stanton-st., 20x75	11,700
Suffolk-st., e. s., 75 ft. n. of Broome-st., 25x50, (4-5 part)	4,480
Waverley-place, n. s., 80.2 ft. w. of 6th-av., 22.4x 80	16,500
11th-st., n. s., 24 ft. e. of Dry Dock-st., 75x103.3	10,000
24th-st., s. s., 200 ft. e. of 9th-av., 25x98.9	25,000
37th-st., s. s., 175 ft. w. of 10th-av., 20x98.9	45,000
40th-st., s. s., 250 ft. w. of 9th-av., 25x98.9	3,750
40th-st., s. s., 275 ft. w. of 9th-av., 25x98.9	3,750
40th-st., s. s., 300 ft. w. of 9th-av., 25x98.9	3,750
40th-st., s. s., 325 ft. w. of 9th-av., 25x98.9	3,750
61st-st., s. s., 124 ft. w. of Lexington-av., 18x100.5	27,800
63d-st., s. s., 125 ft. w. of 9th-av., 25x100.5	5,000
71st-st., n. s., 450 ft. w. of 9th-av., 20x102.2	28,000
106th-st., s. s., 175 ft. e. of 3d-av., 18x100.11	2,000
142d-st., s. s., 350 ft. w. of 8th-av., 50x99.11	3,300
3d-av., e. s., 25.5 ft. n. of 55th-st., 40x110	nom.
4th-av., e. s., 49.11 ft. s. of 128th-st., 50x70	7,100
9th-av., w. s., between 57th and 58th sts., 200.10x 175	112,000
7th-av., w. s., 73.9 ft. n. of 31st-st., 25x100	nom.
9th-av., e. s., 20.1 ft. s. of 42d-st., 19.8x65	8,500

Leases.

Grand-st., No. 321, 5 years, per year	$1,500
Union-square, No. 19, 4 11-12 years, per year	12,000
8th-st., No. 127, 4 years, per year	2,100

RICHMOND COUNTY.

Castleton.

Adjoining land of Henry Balser, 29x200x21x200	$200

Long Neck.

Adjoining land of A. L. Decker, 4 28-100 acres	$1,000

Middletown.

Castleton Heights, on Grand View, Park and Castleton avs., 3 21-100 acres	$13,500

Northfield.

Adjoining land of Silas Decker, deceased, 2 acres	$800

New Brighton.

Roe-st., 225 ft. s. of Tompkins-av., 50x160 / Roe-st., e. s., 65x160	$10,000

Westfield.

Quarantine and Amboy ferry road, adjoining land of John Lafarge, 3 acres	$6,000

NEW-JERSEY.

Newark.

Condit-st., n. s., 113 ft. e. from 1st-st., 50x106.6	$600
Court-st., s. s., 100 ft. e. of Hunterdon-st., 15.3x 74.5	50
Condit and 1st-st., n. w. corner, 133x182	3,000
Drift road, s. s., H. Lum to T. Smith, 25x100	200
High-st., w. s., adjoining Wallace's property, 50x163.11	2,100
New-st., n. s., 234 ft. w. of Plane-st., 25x102	10,000

Woodside.

Upper road to Belleville, e. s., 170 ft. n. from Centre-st., 275x616	$16,000

East Orange.

Evergreen-st., e. s., 55 ft. s. of Halstead-place, 98 x148.9	$7,000

WESTCHESTER COUNTY.

East Chester.

7th-av., w. s., lot K, Central Mount Vernon	$300

Greenburg.

Mechanic av., e. s., adjoining Mary Brody's, 25 x100	$1,200

West Farms.

Lots Nos. 113, 116, to 128, inclusive, and Nos. 21 and 81 of Thos. Bassford's property	$13,000

Yonkers.

Parker st., n. s., 2 0 ft. w. of Vineyard-av., 25x	$350

Yorktown.

James C. Fowler's property, 130 acres	$13,000
Wm. A. Robbins' property, 9 37-100 acres	1,134
Mary A. Robbins' property, 21 acres, 7 rods	4,500

CITY REAL ESTATE.

FOR SALE—SEVEN LOTS ON BROADway, Nos. 111 to 117, price $1,500 each; also, six lots adjoining above, Nos. 121 to 136, price $600 each; also, six lots opposite above, $500 each; about two acres; the whole being on the hill; very high ground. It is a part of the Dyckman property sold on the 1st of this month. Apply to owner, H. D. ROLPH, No. 96 Bowery.

BROOKLYN REAL ESTATE.

FOR SALE—A NEW TWO-STORY ATTIC and basement house, with two-story extension; all the improvements; ground, 37 feet 6 inches by 100, on Pulaski-st., south side; first house from Marcy-av., Brooklyn, Long Island; terms easy. De Kalb-avenue cars pass the street. Enquire on the premises.

COUNTRY REAL ESTATE.

FOR SALE—AT MORRISTOWN, N. J., fully furnished, an elegant house and twenty-five acres, situated only two miles from the station and one hour and thirty minutes from New-York by express trains; house is 58x28 feet, two-story, basement and attic, built in the very best manner by day's work, and finished in a superior manner in hard-wood; contains fifteen rooms, besides basement, containing large kitchen, laundry, with stationary tubs, milk-room, dairy, wine-cellar and storage for fuel, with linen, cedar or clothes-closets in every room; also bath-room and water-closets on each floor; out-buildings consist of a new carriage-house, 30x30 feet; barn, 26x40 feet; gardener's-house, 27x28 feet; hot-house, cow-house, wood-shed, hennery, ice-house filled, &c.; house is charmingly situated on Morris Plains, and commands fine views of Dover Mountains, Morristown Hills, &c.; a mountain stream runs through the place, supplying the house and a large fish-pond near the house. This place will be sold, if desired, with all the furniture, including bed and table-linen, fine cut and engraved glass-ware, pictures, fancy articles, plated-ware, garden and farm tools, carriage and work horses, pony, pony-chaise, depot and other wagons, harnesses, &c. Any person desiring to secure a delightfully-situated and completely-furnished establishment, without trouble and at short notice will find this an opportunity rarely equaled. Fine lawn and garden planted, &c. Apply for permits and price to E. H. LUDLOW & CO., No. 3 Pine-st.

FOR SALE AT LONG BRANCH—AN elegant double cottage containing fourteen rooms, and having all the conveniences of a first-class City residence; handsomely and completely furnished; located near Mansion House and Continental Hotel, and convenient to railroad depot; price, with furniture, $23,000; terms easy. Inquire of A. D. VAN DOREN, Long Branch, or B. F. CURTIS, No. 594 Broadway, New-York.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—AT NEWburg, on the Hudson, a modern-built brick and slate-roof country house and three acres of ground; house contains parlors, library, dining-room, ten bed-rooms, bath and other conveniences; garden well stocked with fruit-trees and berries of all kinds; stable, carriage and poultry house on premises. Terms easy. Apply to P. W. RANKIN, No. 111 Liberty-st., upstairs, New-York.

FARM OR COUNTRY-SEAT FOR SALE—AT IRVINGTON, N. J.—One mile from South Orange Depot, a commodious frame dwelling with twenty acres of land, under good cultivation. The house is well built; has thirteen rooms; there is also a large carriage-house and barn; the place is finely shaded and well fruited; has also pure water, and is beautifully located. Price, $30,000. Inquire of HOMER MORGAN, No. 2 Pine-st.

HANDSOME SUBURBAN RESIDENCE for sale at Elizabeth, forty to fifty minutes from New-York; frequent communication at cheap rates by the most commodious railroad lines; house of twelve rooms, modern fittings, lawn, fruit-trees, one acre; price $15,000. Address HOUSE, Box No. 235 New-York Post-office.

FOR SALE OR TO LET—IN YONKERS, a brick house, containing fourteen rooms; all modern conveniences; there is an acre of land, planted with the choicest fruit, a coach-house and stable; stands high, good views and no musquitoes. Terms easy, which can be known by addressing M. J. D., Box No. 2,024 New-York Post-office.

FROM THE LOTS ON THE BANKS of Dundee Lake, to be sold at auction on MONDAY, most beautiful views can be obtained of the lake and river, the town of Passaic, Garrett Rock, Paterson and the entire valley, overlooking twenty miles of country. Maps and free tickets to be had of A. D. MELLICK, Jr., & BRO., No. 6 Pine-st.

FOR SALE—AT RIVERDALE, ON THE banks of the Hudson, an elegant residence, with all modern improvements; stable, carriage-house, &c.; about seven acres of land, well laid out in lawn, garden, &c.; fine water-front, and extensive view, both up and down the river and inland. Inquire of HOMER MORGAN, No. 2 Pine-st.

ORANGE, N. J.—VILLAS, VILLA SITES and farms, a great variety, beautifully situated one hour from N. Y., for sale low. Also, country-seats and houses to let by the year, by BLACKWELL & SMITH, 243 Broadway, N. Y., 9 to 11 A. M.; Orange, corner Main and Cone sts., 1 to 5 P. M.

AT THE DUNDEE LAKE SALE, ON MONDAY, there will be offered an ornamental cottage house, containing nine rooms, with one acre of land, very nicely improved, and only seven minutes' walk from Clifton station. Free passes can be obtained of A. D. MELLICK, JR., & BRO., No. 6 Pine-st.

FOR SALE—AT FAIRFIELD, CONN., AN elegant residence, with modern improvements; all in complete order; out-buildings; six to seven acres of land well laid out, shaded, &c. Inquire of HOMER MORGAN, No. 2 Pine-st.

FOR SALE.—NYACK, ON THE HUDSON—country-seat of eighteen acres or less; also cottage, fruits; river front; will rent.
C. H. GREEN, Piermont, N. Y.

DWELLINGS TO LET.

SUMMER RESIDENCES.

TO LET, for the season, a furnished cottage of eight rooms, beautifully located by the sea-side, with coach-house, carriage, and abundance of fruit trees of every kind; at a convenient distance from the City with daily access both ways; both fresh and salt water bathing. Address HIGHLANDS, Box No. 164 *Times* Office.

TO LET—A NEW HOUSE AT SPUYTEN Duyvil, neatly furnished, nine rooms, with bath, furnace, and all modern improvements; pasture for cow, with carriage-house and stable, with stalls for four horses; $1,200 to May 1, 1871; immediate possession. Inquire at office Pennsylvania Coal Company, No. 111 Broadway.

FURNISHED COTTAGE TO LET.—A furnished cottage on the Hudson, with fourteen rooms, beautiful river view, to let, for July and August; only three-quarters of an hour from the City; five minutes' walk from depot; rent $150 per month. Apply to L. J. H., Box No. 118 Station D.

FURNISHED HOUSE TO LET—A commodious house, situated on 97th-st., near 11th-av., (Stryker's Bay,) commanding a fine view of the Hudson River; house fully furnished; rent moderate. Apply to MCDONALD & MCNALLY, on the premises, or to HOMER MORGAN, No. 2 Pine-st.

TO LET, FURNISHED—A PLEASANT House; large rooms; garden, with fruit, shade-trees and stable. Apply to S. S. GILPIN, Townsend-av., Clifton, S. I., five minutes' walk from Vanderbilt Landing.

TO LET—FURNISHED, OR FOR SALE, AN elegant and roomy stone mansion, out-buildings, lawn, &c., all complete; with thirty-five to forty acres of land, beautifully located at Lenox, Mass. Inquire of HOMER MORGAN, No. 2 Pine-st.

TO RENT—FOR THREE MONTHS, ON THE Hudson, only thirty minutes from the City, first-class house, respects, fully furnished; horses and carriages, if preferred.
EDMUND COFFIN, No. 77 Cedar-st.

A LADY JUST HAVING TAKEN THE elegantly-furnished house No. 49 East 23d-st., second door from National Academy of Design, desires to rent a part of the house to a club of gentlemen.

TO LET—A COTTAGE AND THREE ACRES, on road from Peekskill to Mahopac; ten rooms; rent $300, furnished at $500. Apply at No. 91 Fulton-st.

FLUSHING.—TO LET—A SMALL COTTAGE, in perfect order, five minutes from depot; rent, $500; furniture, tasty and complete, for sale cheap. WARD & OGDEN, corner Broadway and 17th-st.

EAST ORANGE.—FURNISHED HOUSE to rent for the Summer, or longer; nine large rooms, bath, &c.; on high ground, with fine view. Address J. E. HEDDEN, Box No. 4,583 New-York Post-office.

GREENWICH, CONN.—TO LET FOR three months, a furnished house, finely located and beautifully shaded. Inquire of FRANCIS TOMES, or S. HASTINGS GRANT, No. 104 Broadway.

STORES, &C., TO LET.

OFFICES TO LET,
IN
TIMES BUILDING.

Fine, handsome offices on second and third floors. Inquire of GEORGE JONES, *Times* Office.

TO LEASE—SECOND BUILDING FROM Broadway; will be ready about the 15th of July. A fine new corner store on first floor, about 27 by 65 feet, with iron front and plate-glass windows. Also the second-floor, 27 by 137 feet, together or separately; steam power if required. Apply to NICOL & DAVIDSON, No. 686 Broadway.

FIRST-CLASS HOTEL TO RENT AND FURNITURE FOR SALE.—A first-class hotel, with about ninety rooms, on Broadway, below Stewart's upper store; furniture and equipments complete. For rent of house, price of furniture, and other information, inquire of HOMER MORGAN, 2 No. Pine-st.

OFFICES—NO. 42 CEDAR-ST., AT A LOW rent.

HOUSES & ROOMS WANTED.

A PHYSICIAN DESIRES AN OFFICE, furnished or unfurnished, above 45th-st. and on or east of Lexington-av.; English basement preferred. Address, with terms, H. D. J., Station D, New-York Post-office.

WANTED—SEVERAL LOW-PRICED houses immediately, between Madison and Sixth avs. and from 30th to 50th sts. Apply to J. ROMAINE BROWN, No. 1,280 Broadway.

REAL ESTATE WANTED.

WANTED—LOTS AND WATER-FRONTS ON the Washington Heights and on the Dyckman estate.
G. LESPINASSE, No. 25 Pine-st.

MARBLE MANTELS.

MARBLE AND MARBLEIZED MANTELS, grave-stones, tiles, plumbers' slabs. New showrooms with finest assortment. Prices reduced. A. KLABER, 134 and 136 East 18th-st., near 3d-av., N. Y.

MARBLEIZED SLATE MANTELS.—Rich and elegant designs, from $6, $12, $16 up to $250.
T. B. STEWART & CO.,
No. 605 6th-av., between 35th and 36th sts.

REAL ESTATE AT AUCTION.

E. A. LAWRENCE, AUCTIONEER.

LAWRENCE, OAKLEY & FLEURY
Will sell at auction, on the premises,
TUESDAY, JUNE 7, 1870,
At 12 M.,
On easy terms, and absolutely to the highest bidder.
351 VALUABLE LOTS,
Beautifully located, five minutes' walk from depot,

FLUSHING, L. I.

FORTY TRAINS DAILY
TO AND FROM NEW-YORK.
TIME, THIRTY MINUTES.

Combining with its accessibility and many advantages of churches, schools, gas, &c., all the advantages of a City residence and country home.

Take boat at 34th-st., East River, 10¾, or James-slip 10½ A. M.; thence by special train direct to the property.

Maps and free tickets at Auctioneer's office, No. 10 Pine-st., and by E. F. MEAD,
No. 314 3d-av., under Bull's Head Bank.

BENJAMIN P. FAIRCHILD, Auctioneer.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.
By order of WILLIAM M. TWEED, Esq.,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Will be sold at public auction, on TUESDAY, June 7, 1870, at 10 A. M., at the vestibule of the City Hall, in the City of New-York, all buildings and parts of buildings taken by the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, appointed by the Supreme Court, for the widening and extension of Laurens-st., from Canal-st. to Waverley-place, in the City of New-York.

Which said buildings and parts of buildings are laid down on a certain map on file in the office of the

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
NO. 227 BROADWAY.

For further particulars apply at the office of the auctioneer, No. 9 Beach-st.

O. H. PIERSON, Auctioneer.

BY A. D. MELLICK, JR., & BROTHER, AUCTIONEERS AND DEALERS IN NEW-JERSEY REAL ESTATE,
MONDAY, JUNE 6,
AT 12 M. ON THE PREMISES,
THE MOST ATTRACTIVE SALE OF THE SEASON.
90 MAGNIFICENT VILLA PLOTS
ON
DUNDEE LAKE,
PASSAIC, N. J.,

within seven minutes' walk of station, and only forty minutes from New-York by the Erie Railroad, with seventeen trains daily.

This property is absolutely unexceptionable. Extensive views, splendid drives, and fine fishing, boating and bathing in the lake.

There will also be offered a neat cottage containing eight rooms, one acre of land with stable.

Free tickets by the 10:15 train.

Liberal collation upon the sale.

Should the day prove stormy the sale will take place on the 9th inst. at the same hour.

Maps and passes can be had of the auctioneers.
NO. 6 PINE-ST.

O. H. PIERSON, Auctioneer.

BY A. D. MELLICK, JR., & BRO., auctioneers and dealers in New-Jersey real estate, No. 6 Pine-st., New-York.—SATURDAY, June 11, at 2 P. M., on the premises, auction sale of a desirable residence at Englewood, N. J.

This property is well located on the corner of the Tenafly road and Ivy-lane, three minutes' walk from Highland Station, and on an elevation commanding extensive views of the valley and overlooking the Town of Englewood; the dwelling is a gothic cottage containing thirteen rooms in good order; the grounds comprise about two acres, very handsomely improved and laid out, and contain walks, a good garden and an abundance of fruit, shade and evergreen trees; stable room for three horses.

Parties wishing to attend the sale will take the 1 P. M. train by Northern Railroad from the foot of Chambers-st. to Highland Station.

Maps, permits and full particulars can be had of the auctioneers, No. 6 Pine-st., New-York.

O. H. PIERSON, Auctioneer.

BY A. D. MELLICK, JR., & BRO., Auctioneers and dealers in New-Jersey real estate, No. 6 Pine-st., New-York.
THURSDAY, JUNE 9, at 1 P. M., on the premises.
Positive sale of the Muelegan estate, fronting on the Passaic River, near Belleville, N. J., by order of Jas. W. Elliot, Esq.

Comprising thirteen building plots, varying in size from two to eight acres.

Handsomely situated on very high ground and commanding extensive views of the river and surrounding country. This is a rare chance to purchase property in large plots, as the location is a most beautiful one, and the vicinity handsomely improved; stations on the Montclair (Midland,) Delaware, Lackawanna and Western, and Newark and Paterson Railroads will lie near this property.

Parties wishing to attend this sale will take the 12 M. train by the New-Jersey Railroad from the foot of Cortlandt-st. or Chambers-st., getting out at Centre-st. station, Newark, and taking steam-boat from the foot of Centre-st., direct to the property.

Maps, free passes and full particulars at the office of the auctioneers, No. 6 Pine-st.

WILSON H. BLACKWELL, Auctioneer.

BY MALLORY & BLACKWELL, NO. 55 LIBERTY-ST.,
WEDNESDAY, June 8, 1870, at 4 P. M., on the premises.

Positive and unreserved sale, to close an estate.
The well-known
KNOWLTON PLACE, TARRYTOWN,
consisting of a superior brick house, containing eleven rooms, in perfect repair, and about one and one-half acres of land, with a great variety of choice fruit and shade trees; location being retired, with fine river views, and being surrounded with finely-improved places, and yet only five minutes' walk from depot and landing, churches and schools, makes it a very desirable residence. Two-thirds of the purchase money can remain. Parties can leave New-York on the 2 P. M. train, and return after the sale on the train arriving in New-York at 6¼ P. M. Further particulars of MALORY & BLACKWELL, No. 55 Liberty-st., or opposite the depot, Tarrytown.

A. J. BLEECKER, SON & CO., Auctioneers.

TUESDAY, JUNE 7, AT 12 M., AT Exchange Sales-room, No. 111 Broadway:
ASSIGNEE'S SALE OF HARLEM LOTS.
ONE HUNDRED AND NINETEENTH-STREET—Six lots, south side 119th-st., about 380 feet east of Avenue A. Each 25x100.
(Signed,) A. A. WINEGARDNER,
Assignee of A. B. & T. A. Demarest, Bankrupts.

A. J. BLEECKER, SON & CO., Auctioneers.

FRIDAY, JUNE 10—AT THE EXCHANGE Sales-rooms, No. 111 Broadway.
TREMONT.—A magnificent property, part of the Abraham Bassford estate, at Tremont, Westchester County, consisting of about 130 beautiful city lots, to be sold in plots of convenient size.
Maps at No. 77 Cedar-st.

JAMES M. MILLER, Auctioneer.

WILL SELL AT AUCTION AT THE Exchange Sales-room, No. 111 Broadway, on TUESDAY, June 7, at 12 o'clock noon:
A beautiful country seat, containing between three and four acres of ground, within ten miles of New-York, in Westchester County. Sale positive to the highest bidder.

HELP WANTED.

WOOD ENGRAVERS WANTED.
Two good engravers wanted immediately to go to Western Pennsylvania. Apply by letter, including specimens of work, stating pay expected, &c. Address ENGRAVER, Box No. 114 *Times* Office.

A LARGE NUMBER OF GIRLS wanted at CARPENTER'S old-established Employment House, corner 11th-st. and 6th-av. Excellent situations ready for cooks, chamber-maids, waitresses, nurse-girls and house-workers; also, for girls lately landed. No charge till engaged.

WANTED—AT BOOKHAM'S, NO. 335 4TH-av., all American, English, Irish, Scotch, French, German laundresses, nurses, seamstresses, waitresses, chamber-maids, five excellent cooks, and all other cooks; house-workers, and those lately landed.

AT BEDELL'S, NO. 340 4TH-AV., corner 25th-st., excellent places ready for all English, French, Irish and German ladies' maids, seamstresses, cooks, laundresses, chamber-maids, waitresses, &c.

WANTED—A MAN THAT UNDERSTANDS washing carriages and working in a livery stable; he must be strictly temperate; no other need apply. Address D., Box No. 164 *Times* Office.

GIRLS, TAKE NOTICE.—ONE HUNdred girls wanted daily for general house-work in the country, without charge, at BEDELL'S Employment Office, No. 340 4th-av., corner of 25th-st.

WANTED—A GIRL THAT UNDERSTANDS plain cooking, washing and ironing, to go with a small family a short distance in the country. Apply at No. 102 Gold-st., corner of Frankfort.

WANTED—A PROTESTANT WOMAN AS plain cook; one that will wash and iron, and well recommended from present employer. Call at No. 9 East 12th-st., from 3 to 5.

WANTED—A PROTESTANT WOMAN, thoroughly competent, as nurse and seamstress; City reference required. Apply at No. 30 West 10th-st., on Monday, between 9 and 11 o'clock.

WANTED—LADY'S MAID, FRENCH OR German; must be a hair-dresser and good seamstress. Apply, between 10 and 12 o'clock Monday, at No. 6 East 23d-st.

WANTED—TWO RESPECTABLE COLORED women—one as cook, the other as waitress; both must thoroughly understand their business, and bring the best of references. Apply at No. 30 West 37th-st.

WANTED—A FOREMAN ON A FARM, WHO understands hook-keeping. Apply to WM. CROZIER, Northport, Long Island.

A BRIGHT INTELLIGENT AMERIcan boy wanted in an office; salary first year $100. Address Box No. 690 Post-office.

MISCELLANEOUS.

REMOVAL.
F. W. PATCHMANN & BROTHER have removed from No. 425 Canal-st. to the spacious store No. 363 Canal-st., near Wooster-st., where they offer to their numerous friends and the public a very large assortment of gold and silver watches, fine gold and hair jewelry, solid silver and silver-plated ware, spectacles, eye-glasses, &c., at prices to correspond with the present rate of gold. Established 1838.
Every article warranted as represented.

FINANCIAL.

BANKING-HOUSE OF
HENRY CLEWS & CO.
No. 32 Wall-st.

Our business is conducted the same, in all respects, as that of an Incorporated Bank. Parties keeping their accounts with us, in either Currency or Gold, can Check at Sight, without notice. Interest allowed upon all daily balances; credited monthly and account current rendered.

We issue Certificates of Deposit, payable on demand or at fixed date, bearing interest, at current rate, and available in all parts of the country.

We are at all times prepared to make Advances to our Dealers on approved securities at market rates of interest.

Orders executed for the purchase or sale of Gold, Bills of Exchange, Government, State and City Bonds, and other first-class Securities.

Special attention given to negotiating Railroad and other corporate Loans.

We make Collections promptly of Notes, Drafts, Coupons and Dividends at all points in the United States, Canada or Europe, and are fully prepared to offer Banking Facilities upon either Currency or Gold basis.

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Bankers
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Railway Agents,
No 12 Wall-st., New-York.

Make Collections, pay Coupons and Dividends, Buy and Sell Government, Railway Bonds, and other Securities on Commission.

PARTICULAR ATTENTION GIVEN TO THE NEGOTIATION OF RAILWAY AND OTHER CORPORATE LOANS.

N. B.—Interest allowed on deposits.

NEW-YORK, May 2, 1870.

1st Mortgage
8 PER CENT. GOLD BONDS,
Indorsed by the State of Alabama,
FOR SALE ON FAVORABLE TERMS BY
HENRY CLEWS & CO.,
BANKERS AND FINANCIAL AGENTS FOR THE STATE OF ALABAMA,
NO. 32 WALL-ST.

7 PER CENT. GOLD LOAN
(FREE OF U. S. TAX)
OF THE
Burlington, Cedar Rapids and Minnesota R. R. Co.'s
FIRST MORTGAGE
50 YEAR CONVERTIBLE BONDS,
A LIMITED QUANTITY FOR SALE
AT 90 AND ACCRUED INTEREST.

The greater part of the road is already completed, and shows large earnings, and the balance of the work is rapidly progressing.

We unhesitatingly recommend these Bonds as the safest and best investment in the market.

United States Five-twenties, at current prices only, return five per cent. interest, while these pay eight and one-quarter per cent. in gold; and we regard the security equally good. HENRY CLEWS & CO.,
No. 32 Wall-st., New-York.

A SAFE INVESTMENT.

First Mortgage Bonds of the Chicago, Cincinnati & Louisville Railroad Company.

These bonds are part of the first and only issue of the Company for $1,000,000, covering its entire property, and are at the rate of $13,700 per mile. Of the whole amount $600,000 have been already placed, leaving but $400,000 to be sold. They are 7 per cent. upon bonds due in 1887, interest payable 1st January and July in New-York. The Road is in operation. It is 73 miles long, extending from La Porte on the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern to Peru, where it connects with the Toledo, Wabash and Western and the Peru and Indianapolis Roads. It runs through one of the finest sections of Indiana, and makes a connecting link in the best through line from Chicago to Indianapolis, and thence to Cincinnati and Louisville.

We confidently offer these bonds as a desirable security to investors, AS THE NET EARNINGS OF THE ROAD FROM THEIR OPENING HAVE BEEN IN EXCESS OF THE INTEREST ON ITS BONDED DEBT, AND ARE CONSTANTLY INCREASING. Besides it is designed to extend the Road to Lake Michigan at New Buffalo or Michigan City the coming season, which will also greatly increase its earnings.

J. A. UNDERWOOD & SON,
No. 18 Exchange-place.
CALDWELL & CO.,
No. 27 Wall-st.

DREXEL, WINTHROP & CO.,
NO. 18 WALL-ST.,
Issue letters of credit for
TRAVELERS,
Available in all the principal cities of Europe, through
DREXEL, HARJES & CO.,
NO. 3 RUE SCRIBE,
PARIS.

LEVY & BORG,
NO. 20 BROAD-ST.,
are now prepared to buy and sell SOUTHERN SECURITIES, and make a specialty of the same.

ELEVENTH WARD BANK.
NEW-YORK, May 28, 1870.
The annual election for Directors of this institution, for the ensuing year, will be held at
THE BANKING-HOUSE,
Avenue D, corner of 10th-st.,
WEDNESDAY, JUNE 8, 1870,
Polls open from 12 M. to 2 P. M.
CHARLES E. BROWN, Cashier.

REMOVAL.
Messrs. L'HERBETTE, KANE & CO., American Bankers, Paris, have transferred their offices from No. 8 Place de la Bourse to No. 33 Rue du dix Decembre, near the Grand Hotel.
Letters for travelers received and forwarded.
New-York Correspondents, Messrs. AUSTIN BALDWIN, & CO., Bankers, No. 70 Broadway.

CHICAGO, ROCK ISLAND AND PACIFIC R. R. CO.,
SECRETARY'S OFFICE, No. 13 WILLIAM-ST.,
NEW-YORK, April 28, 1870.
TO HOLDERS OF CHICAGO AND ROCK ISLAND RAILROAD BONDS.—This Company are prepared to exchange their First Mortgage Sinking Fund Seven per cent. Bonds, due in 1886, for the bonds of the Chicago and Rock Island Company, maturing July, 1870. The bonds offered in exchange are secured by a First Mortgage on the entire road and equipment, extending from Chicago to Council Bluffs, including the Washington Branch, being altogether 552 miles in extent.
J. F. TRACY, President.

HONEY BROOK COAL COMPANY,
NO. 209 WALNUT-ST.,
PHILADELPHIA, May 27, 1870.
AT THE SPECIAL MEETING OF the stockholders of this Company, held on 26th inst., the supplement to the Company's charter, passed by the Legislature of the State of Pennsylvania, and on 9th April approved by the Governor, was rejected unanimously by the shareholders present, voting by a majority of the shares.
GEO. H. MYERS,
Chairman.
Attest: LOUIS REEVES, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE WILLIAMSBURG GAS-LIGHT CO.,
BROOKLYN, N. Y., May 23, 1870.
THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE stockholders of the WILLIAMSBURG GAS-LIGHT COMPANY for the election of seven Directors and three Inspectors of Election, will be held at the office of the Company on MONDAY, June 6, next, from 5 to 6 o'

SHIPPING.

CUNARD LINE.
THE BRITISH AND NORTH AMERICAN ROYAL MAIL STEAM-SHIPS,
BETWEEN NEW-YORK AND LIVERPOOL,
CALLING AT CORK HARBOR.
China, Wednesday, June 8 | Calabria, Thurs., June 16
Palmyra, Wednes., June 8 | Scotia, Wednes., June 22
Abyssinia, Thurs., June 9 | Malta, Wednes., June 22
Java, Wednesday, June 15 | Cuba, Wednesday, June 29
Tripoli, Wednes., June 15 | Tarifa, Wednes., June 29
RATES OF PASSAGE.
By the steamers not carrying Steerage:
First Cabin, $130, gold. Second Cabin, $80, gold.
First Cabin to Paris.....$145, gold.
Return tickets.....$250, gold.
By the steamers carrying Steerage:
First Cabin, $80, gold. Steerage, $30, currency.
Return tickets.....$150, gold.
Steerage tickets from Liverpool and Queenstown and all parts of Europe at lowest rates.
Through Bills of Lading given for Belfast, Glasgow, Havre, Antwerp and other ports on the Continent, and for Mediterranean ports.
For freights and cabin passage apply at the Company's Office, No. 4 Bowling-green.
For steerage passage at No. 111 Broadway, Trinity Building. CHAS. G. FRANCKLYN, Agent.

ONLY DIRECT LINE TO FRANCE.
THE GENERAL TRANSATLANTIC COMPANY'S MAIL STEAM-SHIPS BETWEEN NEW-YORK AND HAVRE, CALLING AT BREST.
The splendid vessels on this favorite route for the Continent will sail from Pier No. 50 North River as follows:
VILLE DE PARIS.SURMONT ..SATURDAY, June 11
ST. LAURENT.....LEMARIE..SATURDAY, June 25
PEREIRE.....DUCHESNE.SATURDAY, July 9
LAFAYETTE.....ROUSSAU..SATURDAY, July 23
Rates of passage, payable in gold, (including wine.)
TO BREST OR HAVRE, First cabin, $140; second cabin, $75.
TO PARIS, (including railway ticket,) $145 and $78.
These rates do not carry steerage passengers.
American travelers going to or returning from the Continent of Europe, by taking the steamers of this line avoid both transit by English railways and the discomforts of crossing the Channel, besides saving time, trouble and expense.
GEO. MACKENZIE, Agent, No. 58 Broadway.

FOR MOBILE,
VIA FERNANDINA ROUTE.
THE NEW-YORK, FLORIDA AND GULF STEAM-SHIP LINE WILL DISPATCH THE FIRST-CLASS STEAM-SHIP
FLAG,
Capt. LIMEBURNER.
On WEDNESDAY, June 15, from Pier No. 29 North River, at 3 P. M. Cargo delivered without lighterage at Mobile.
Is now receiving. Has elegant passenger accommodations.
Insurance guaranteed at one and a half per cent. to Mobile.
Through Rates and Bills Lading given to Selma, Montgomery, and all points in the interior at LOWER RATES than any other line.
Passage to Fernandina, $20.
For Freight or Passage apply to
J. F. PATTERSON, Agent, No. 177 West-st., or to
R. L. DRUMMOND & CO., No. 94 Wall-st.
Mobile Agents, A. J. INGERSOLL & CO.

STEAM TO GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL AND LONDONDERRY.
THE ANCHOR LINE
Favorite Clyde-built passenger steamers are intended to sail as follows:
IOWA.....June 8 | ANGLIA.....June 18
CAMBRIA.....June 11 | SIDONIAN.....June 22
DACRE HALL.....June 15 | ANCHORIA.....June 25
and every WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY thereafter, from Pier No. 20 North River, at 12 o'clock, noon.
RATES OF PASSAGE PAYABLE IN CURRENCY.
Cabins, to Liverpool, Glasgow or Derry, $65 and $75.
Excursion tickets, good for 12 months, $130.
Steerage, to Glasgow, Liverpool or Derry, $28; intermediate, $30.
Prepaid Certificates from these ports, $32.
Passengers booked to and from Hamburg, Havre, Rotterdam, Antwerp, &c., at very low rates.
Drafts issued payable at any bank in Great Britain and Ireland.
For further information apply on the steamers, foot of Dey-st., or at the Company's offices, No. 7 Bowling-green, New-York. HENDERSON BROTHERS.

FOR LIVERPOOL,
VIA QUEENSTOWN,
CARRYING THE UNITED STATES MAILS.
THE LIVERPOOL AND GREAT WESTERN STEAM COMPANY will dispatch one of their first-class full-power iron-screw steam-ships from PIER NO. 46 NORTH RIVER, EVERY WEDNESDAY,
as follows:
COLORADO, Capt. FREEMAN.....June 8, at 1 P. M.
NEBRASKA, Capt. GUARD.....June 15, at 4 P. M.
MANHATTAN, Capt. FORSYTH..June 22, at 1 P. M.
MINNESOTA, Capt. WHINERAY..June 29, at 4 P. M.
IDAHO, Capt. PEICE.....July 6, at 1 P. M.
NEVADA, Capt. GREEN.....July 13, at 4 P. M.
Cabin passage, $80 gold.
Steerage passage, (Office No. 29 Broadway,) $30 currency.
For freight or cabin passage apply to
WILLIAMS & GUION, No. 63 Wall-st.

NATIONAL LINE.
STEAM TO LIVERPOOL AND QUEENSTOWN,
From Pier No. 27 North River.
FRANCE, Saturday, June 11, at 2 P. M.
ENGLAND, WEBSTER, Saturday, June 18, at 9 A. M.
VIRGINIA, ANDREWS, Saturday, June 25, at 9 A. M.
PENNSYLVANIA, THOMSON, Saturday, July 2.
Passage to Liverpool or Queenstown: Cabin, $75 and $85; steerage, $28 currency.
Prepaid steerage tickets from Liverpool, Queenstown, Londonderry and Glasgow, $32 currency.
Apply at the Company's office, No. 69 Broadway.
F. W. J. HURST, Manager.

FOR LIVERPOOL AND QUEENSTOWN.—Inman Line of Royal Mail Steamers are appointed to sail as follows:
CITY OF BRUSSELS.....Saturday, June 11, 1 P. M.
CITY OF ANTWERP, (via Halifax,)
Tuesday, June 14, 1 P. M.
CITY OF WASHINGTON.Saturday, June 18, 9 A.M.
CITY OF LONDON.....Saturday, June 25, 1 P. M.
And each succeeding SATURDAY and alternate TUESDAY, from Pier No. 45 North River.
RATES OF PASSAGE
PAYABLE IN GOLD. PAYABLE IN CURRENCY.
First Cabin....$75 and $100 | Steerage.....$30
To London.... 80 and 105 | To London..... 35
To Paris..... 90 and 115 | To Paris..... 38
To Halifax..... 20 | To Halifax..... 15
Passengers also forwarded to Havre, Hamburg, Bremen, &c., at reduced rates.
Tickets can be bought here at moderate rates by persons wishing to send for their friends.
For further information apply at the Company's Office. JOHN G. DALE, Agent,
No. 15 Broadway, New-York.

NOTICE.—THE INMAN STEAMSHIP CITY OF MANCHESTER will sail from Pier No. 45 North River on TUESDAY, the 7th inst., at 1 P. M., taking a limited number of steerage passengers only, at $30 currency. JOHN G. DALE, Agent,
No. 15 Broadway.

IMPORTANT TO EUROPEAN TRAVELERS.
HARPER'S HAND-BOOK FOR TRAVELERS IN EUROPE AND THE EAST. Being a guide through France, Belgium, Holland, Germany, Austria, Italy, Egypt, Syria, Turkey, Greece, Switzerland, Tyrol, Russia, Denmark, Sweden, Spain, Great Britain and Ireland. With a Railroad Map, corrected up to 1869. By W. PEMBROKE FETRIDGE. Revised edition; eighth year. Large 12mo, leather, pocket-book form, $7 50.
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PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY'S
THROUGH LINE TO
CALIFORNIA AND CHINA.
FREIGHT AND PASSAGE GREATLY REDUCED.
Through rates, New-York to San Francisco:
First Class. Steerage.
$225 to $170. $60.
securing to location of berth.
These rates include berths, board and all necessaries for the trip.
Steamers of the above line leave Pier No. 42 North River, foot of Canal-st., at 12 o'clock, noon,
ON 5TH AND 21ST OF EACH MONTH,
except when those days fall on Sunday, then the day previous.
One hundred pounds of baggage free to each adult. Medicine and attendance free.
JUNE 21—HENRY CHAUNCEY, Capt. MAURY, connecting with COLORADO, Capt. FARNSWORTH.
Steamer JAPAN will leave San Francisco July 1, 1870, for China and Japan.
All freight for San Francisco will go as fast, and be received until 4 P. M. Monday, June 20.
Freight for Central American and South Pacific ports will be received until 4 P. M. on Saturday, June 18, only. All the usual facilities afforded shippers in collecting inland charges, &c.
For freight or passage tickets, and all further information, apply at the office, Pier No. 42 North River.
F. R. BABY, Agent.

FOR ST. THOMAS AND BRAZIL.
UNITED STATES AND BRAZIL MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.
REGULAR MAIL STEAMERS sailing on the 23d of every month:
NORTH AMERICA, Capt. SLOCUM, June 23.
MERRIMACK, Capt. WIER, July 23.
SOUTH AMERICA, Capt. TINKLEPAUGH, Aug. 23.
These splendid steamers sail on schedule time, and call at St. Thomas, Para, Pernambuco, Bahia and Rio de Janeiro, going and returning. For engagements of freight or passage, apply to
WM. M. R. GARRISON, Agent,
No. 5, Bowling-green, New York.

UNITED STATES MAIL TO HAVANA.
ATLANTIC MAIL STEAM-SHIP COMPANY.
Sailing regularly every THURSDAY at 3 o'clock P. M., precisely, from Pier No. 4 North River.
COLUMBIA, Capt. E. VAN SICE, June 9.
MISSOURI, Capt. J. B. EDWARDS, via Nassau, June 16.
MORRO CASTLE, Capt. R. ADAMS, June 23.
For freight or passage apply to
S. G. WHEELER, Jr, President,
No. 5 Bowling-green.

HAVANA. SISAL AND VERA CRUZ.
New-York and Mexican Mail Steam-ship Line—Sailing every twenty days, from Pier No. 17 East River. The new steamers
CITY OF MEXICO, Capt. TIMMERMANN, WEDNESDAY, June 22, 3 P. M.
CITY OF MERIDA, Capt. DEAKEN, TUESDAY, July 12, 3 P. M.
For freight or passage apply to
F. ALEXANDRE & SONS, No. 33 Broadway.

FOR NASSAU, N. P.
CARRYING THE ROYAL MAILS.
Atlantic Mail S. S. Co.'s steamer MISSOURI, Capt. J. B. EDWARDS, June 15, at 3 P. M., from Pier No. 4 North River.
For freight or passage apply to
S. G. WHEELER, Jr., President,
No. 5 Bowling-green.

FOR NEW-ORLEANS DIRECT.
OLD LINE—LOW FREIGHT.
The well-known, first-class side-wheel steam-ship DE SOTO, THOMAS H. MORTON, Commander, will leave Pier No. 36 North River, on SATURDAY, June 11, at 3 P. M. Freight taken at through rates for St. Louis, Mobile and Galveston.
For freight or passage, having superior accommodations, apply to LIVINGSTON, FOX & CO.,
No. 88 Liberty-st.

SHIPPING.

FOR SAVANNAH, GA.,
AND THE SOUTH AND SOUTH-WEST.
GREAT SOUTHERN FREIGHT AND PASSENGER LINE STEAM-SHIPS AND CENTRAL RAILROAD OF GEORGIA.
GREAT REDUCTION IN PASSENGER RATES TO ALL POINTS IN THE INTERIOR.
FOUR STEAMERS A WEEK,
TUESDAY, THURSDAY
AND SATURDAY.
THE STEAM-SHIPS
VIRGO, Capt. BULKLEY, TUESDAY, June 7, from Pier No. 16 East River, at 3 P. M.
MURRAY, FERRIS & CO., Agents,
Nos. 61 and 62 South-st.

HERMAN LIVINGSTON, Capt. CHEESEMAN, THURSDAY, June 9, from Pier No. 36 North River, at 3 P. M. LIVINGSTON, FOX & CO., Agents,
No. 88 Liberty-st.

SAN SALVADOR, Capt. NICKERSON, SATURDAY, June 11, from Pier No. 8 North River, at 3 P. M.
WM. R. GARRISON, Agent,
No. 5 Bowling-green.

MONTGOMERY, Capt. FAIRCLOTH, SATURDAY, June 11, from Pier No. 13 North River, at 3 P. M.
B. LOWDEN, Agent,
No. 94 West-st.

NOTICE TO TRAVELERS.
Families or gentlemen going to travel on the Continent of Europe, who can afford the expense of a courier, should never leave Paris without one; their services are invaluable in relieving the traveler from multiplicity of cares and troubles respecting passports, examination and conveyance of luggage; in securing the best accomodation, in protecting the traveler from imposition, and an infinity of annoyances to which they are exposed in various parts of the Continent. Competent and trustworthy couriers and traveling servants may always be obtained by applying to the COURIER SOCIETY, No. 3 Rue d'Alger, near the Tuileries Garden, Paris.

UNITED STATES PASSPORT BUREAU.—United States passports, indispensable to travelers, issued by J. B. NONES, Passport Agent, No. 306 Broadway.

STEAMBOATS.

STONINGTON LINE.
TO BOSTON AND PROVIDENCE.
GREAT INSIDE ROUTE—SHORTEST AND MOST DIRECT.
Fare always as low as by any other line.
The new and elegant Side-wheel steamers
STONINGTON and NARRAGANSETT.
Capt. WM. M. JONES. Capt. GEO. B. HULL
From Pier No. 33, foot of Jay-st., North River, at 5 P. M.,
Arriving ahead of all other lines.
Tickets sold and state-rooms secured at No. 319 Broadway, corner New Pearl-st., and at Dodd's Express office, No. 944 Broadway. D. S. BABCOCK, President Stonington Steamboat Company.

NARRAGANSETT STEAM-SHIP CO.
FOR BOSTON,
Via FALL RIVER, touching at NEWPORT.
SUMMER ARRANGEMENTS:
The world-renowned steamers
BRISTOL,
Commander G. J. SIMMONS,
and
PROVIDENCE,
Commander B. M. SIMMONS,
having been thoroughly overhauled and elegantly refitted, leave alternately, daily (Sundays included) at 5 P. M., from Pier No. 30 North River, foot of Chambers-st.
GRAND PROMENADE CONCERT
On each steamer, every evening, by Hall's Celebrated Boston Brass, String and Reed Bands.

PEOPLE'S LINE FOR ALBANY.
THE LARGEST AND MOST MAGNIFICENT RIVER STEAMERS IN THE WORLD.
The ST. JOHN, DREW, and DEAN RICHMOND.
One of the above steamers will leave Pier No. 41 North River, EVERY AFTERNOON (Sundays excepted) at 6 o'clock, arriving at Albany in time to connect with railroad trains West and North. Returning, leave the steam-boat landing at Albany on the arrival of connecting trains from the West and North. Through tickets can be obtained at the office on the wharf, and baggage checked to its destination; also, at Dodd's Express Offices, No. 944 Broadway, and No. 1 Court-st., Brooklyn.

NARRAGANSETT STEAM-SHIP COMPANY.
NEW-JERSEY SOUTHERN RAILROAD LINE FOR LONG BRANCH,
Port Monmouth, Manchester, Farmingdale, Tom's River and intermediate points. The well-known steamers ANTELOPE and ARROWSMITH will leave Pier No. 28 North River, foot of Murray-st., as follows: For passengers, 8 A. M. and 4 P. M.; for freight, 7 P. M. Returning, will leave Port Monmouth, for passengers, 8:17 A. M. and 3:46 P. M.; for freight, 7:19 P. M., or on arrival of trains from the above-named points. JAMES FISK, Jr. President.

$2 TO ALBANY AND TROY.
The day line steam-boats, C. VIBBARD and DAVID DREW, commencing May 31, will leave Vestry-st. Pier at 8½ and 34th-st. at 9 A. M., landing at Yonkers, (Nyack and Tarrytown by ferry-boat,) Cozzens, West Point, Cornwall, Newburg, Poughkeepsie, Rhinebeck, Bristol, Catskill and New-Baltimore. A special train of broad-gauge cars, in connection with the day boats, will leave on arrival at Albany, (commencing June 20,) for SHARON SPRINGS. Fare $4 25 from New-York and for Cherry Valley. The steam-boat ONEIDA will transfer passengers from Albany to Troy.

STEAMER D. R. MARTIN.
Capt. JAY L. CLARK, for Huntington, Cold Spring, Oyster Bay and Bayville, daily at 4 P. M., from Pier No. 37 East River, foot of Market-st., one block above Catharine Ferry, touching at 27th-st. at 4½ for passengers only.

NEW ROUTE FROM NEW-YORK TO NEWPORT, R. I.—Open June 1, 1870, via New-Haven, Shore Line, and Newport and Wickford Railroads and steam-boat, also by Stonington steam-boats. Passengers by this line avoid the passage round Point Judith, and reach Newport in 3 hours from New-York, connecting at Wickford with the fine steamer EOLUS, passing 12 miles across Narragansett Bay in about 45 minutes. Leave New-York and New-Haven depot, 27th-st., at 12 noon, by express train; arrive at Newport at 5 P. M., or at New-York at 5 P. M. by Stonington steam-boats, foot of Jay-st., N. R.; remain on boats at Stonington until 7 A. M.; arrive at Newport at 9½ A. M. Will connect with night express train at 8 P. M. from New-York on after July 1. Returning, connect with day express train and Stonington steam-boats. For further particulars apply at depot of New-Haven Railroad, 27th-st., and at office of Stonington steam-boats, Pier No. 33 N. R. Fare as low as by any other line.
THEODORE WARREN, Gen. Passenger Agent.

SHREWSBURY, RED BANK AND LONG BRANCH.—The steamer SEA BIRD will leave New-York, foot of Warren-st., as follows:

LEAVE NEW-YORK.	LEAVE RED BANK.
Friday, 4th.....6:30 A. M.	Thursday, 2d.....7 A. M.
Saturday, 4th.....11 A. M.	Friday, 3d.....10:30 A. M.
Tuesday, 7th.....9 A. M.	Monday, 6th.....9 A. M.
Wednesday, 8th..10 A. M.	Tuesday, 7th.....1 P. M.
Thursday, 9th....11 A. M.	Wednesday, 8th..2 P. M.
Friday, 10th.....12 M.	Thursday, 9th....3 P. M.

TROY LINE FOR ALBANY AND TROY—LOW FARE—Only $1 50, being nearly $2 less than any other, and 75 cents less than any route, and same reduction to Buffalo and the West, and to Saratoga and the North, from Pier No. 44 North River, north of Spring-st., daily, (Saturdays excepted,) at 6 P. M. Sundays, by this route for Saratoga avoid the inconvenience of change of cars. Through tickets and baggage checked to all points.
J. W. HANCOX & SONS.

FOR SAG HARBOR, GREENPORT, ORIENT, ORIENT POINT AND NEW SUFFOLK.—The splendid side-wheel steamer EASTERN CITY will leave Pier 28, East River (Peck-slip,) TUESDAYS, THURSDAYS and SATURDAYS, at 5 P. M. for the above places. Returning will leave Sag Harbor at 4 P. M. on the alternate days.
I. S. TUTHILL, No. 156 South-st.

POWER'S LINE FOR HUDSON—THE POWER'S LINE—CLARK LINE—The only line connecting with the Hudson and Boston and Albany Railroads. The commodious steamers NUHPA and REDFIELD leave foot of Christopher-street EVERY EVENING, (Sundays excepted,) at 6 o'clock. Freight taken at low rates. Fare $1; berths free.

FOR HUDSON ATHENS AND INTERMEDIATE PLACES.—The clipper steamboat NEVERSINK leaves foot of Warren-st., every TUESDAY, THURSDAY and SATURDAY, at 5 o'clock P. M., for the above places. Fare, $1.

NEWBURG, POUGHKEEPSIE AND ROONDOUT—Landing at Cozzens, West Point, Cornwall, New-Hamburg and Milton. The steamboat MARY POWELL (on and after SATURDAY, May 14,) will leave Vestry-st. pier at 3½ P. M. daily.

FOR BRIDGEPORT AND ALL POINTS on Housatonic and Naugatuck Railroads; fare $1. Steamers leave Catharine-slip at 12 noon and 12 every night, (Sundays excepted.)

FOR NEW-HAVEN, HARTFORD AND THE NORTH.—Steamers leave Peck-slip for New-Haven at 3½ and 11 P. M. Train leaves the wharf, New-Haven, for Northern stations at 5 A. M.

FOR STAMFORD AND GREENWICH.—The steam-boat STAMFORD leaves Pier No. 37 East River daily at 3, and foot of 37th-st. at 3½ P. M.

FOR NORWALK AND DANBURY.—Steamer NELLY WHITE leaves daily, foot of Market-st. at 2:45, and 37th-st. at 3 P. M.

AUCTION SALES.

MORRIS WILKINS, Auctioneer.
ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF HANDSOME HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, CARPETS, GAS-FIXTURES, CHINA, GLASS, &c., AT NEW-BRIGHTON, STATEN ISLAND.
E. H. LUDLOW & CO. will sell by auction WEDNESDAY, June 8, 1870, at 11 o'clock A. M., at the residence of the late Capt. A. F. De Peyster, Bard-av., near Sailors' Snug Harbor Landing, Staten Island, by order Gilbert A. Robertson, Esq., administrator of the estate of Mrs. Jane De Peyster, deceased, all the furniture, &c., of said house, viz.: Mahogany sofas, lounges, easy and side chairs, in lasting and hair-cloth; center and fancy tables, mantel mirror, damask and lace curtains, mahogany and walnut bedsteads, bureaus, wardrobes, book-cases, oak and enameled bed-room suites, mattresses, bolsters and pillows, extension table, dining chairs, fine china and glass, rich Brussels and ingrain carpets, oil-cloths, kitchen utensils, &c. Also, all the chandeliers and gas-fixtures.
Descriptive catalogues may be had at the office of the auctioneers, No. 3 Pine-st.
Boats leave Pier No. 19, between Cortlandt and Dey sts., North River, at 7, 9, 10½ A. M. and 12 M.

GEORGE BARKER, Auctioneer.
AUCTION NOTICE.—HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, CARPETS, MIRRORS, OIL-PAINTINGS, &c.
GEORGE BARKER will sell MONDAY, June 6, at 11 o'clock, the entire balance of fine furniture remaining from last sale at No. 4 Brevoort-place, 10th-st., one door west of Broadway, consisting of parlor suites in green and striped reps, bedroom suites, wardrobes, bureaus, wash-stands and book-cases, center and side tables, dining and hall chairs, buffets, mirrors, velvet and Brussels carpets, walnut and gilt bedsteads and bureaus, Turkish lounges and easy chairs in green and crimson reps; hair mattresses, oil-paintings, &c.; also, a silver-mounted banjo. The whole to be sold without reserve.

EDWARD M. BROWN, Auctioneer.
BY T. R. MINTURN, BROWN & CO.—THIS DAY, (Monday,) June 6, at 11 o'clock, within their store:
227 boxes fresh Sorrento Oranges, landing.

AUCTION SALES.

JOHN H. DRAPER, Auctioneer.
OFFICE OF JAMES MEYER, JR., No. 3 BEAVER-ST., NEW-YORK.
Sole agent in the United States for
JULES MUMM & CO.'S CHAMPAGNES,
ESCHENAUER, BENECKE & CO.'S CLARETS
and OLIVE OIL,
LOUIS UZAC & CO.'S CLARETS,
A. C. GODARD & CO.'S COGNAC BRANDIES.
NEW-YORK, June 1, 1870.
GENTLEMEN: I beg leave to inform the trade and the public in general that I propose to sell at public auction, through Messrs. J. H. DRAPER & CO., at their store, No. 112 Pearl-st., Hanover-square, New-York, on
FRIDAY, June 10, | WEDNESDAY, July 13.
WEDNESDAY, June 15, | WEDNESDAY, July 20,
WEDNESDAY, June 22, | THURSDAY, July 28,
THURSDAY, June 30, | WEDNESDAY, Aug. 3,
my entire stock of 5,000 packages of the following well-known goods:
JULES MUMM & CO., CHAMPAGNE.
ESCHENAUER, BENECKE & CO., LOUIS UZAC & CO., BORDEAUX, CLARETS, SAUTERNES, OLIVE OIL.
A. C. GODARD, COGNAC BRANDIES, in glass and wood.
All these goods will be offered at each sale at the agent's cost price, in full assortment, and in small or large quantities to suit purchasers. An opportunity will thus be offered to the
TRADE, HOTELS, RESTAURANTS, STEAMBOATS, CLUBS AND PRIVATE FAMILIES,
to obtain their supplies from week to week, without investing large capital and loss of interest. Every article offered at these sales will be guaranteed by me, and I desire to state that never were better wines shipped to America than those to be offered at these weekly sales. The clarets and brandies were selected and put up under my own personal supervision during my last visit to Europe. The finer wines have been four to five years in bottle. The champagnes, "Dry Verzenay," extra dry and private stock of fresh importation, are all of the superior vintage of 1865.
In conformity with the above, I respectfully announce the first sale of the season,
On FRIDAY, June 10, 1870, at 12 o'clock noon,
At the store of
Messrs. J. H. DRAPER & CO.,
No. 112 Pearl-st., Hanover-square, New-York,
where the goods for that sale will be subject to examination the day previous.
Yours, respectfully, JAMES MEYER, JR.

LEAVITT, STREBEIGH & CO., Auctioneers.
PRIVATE LIBRARY AT AUCTION.—Clinton Hall Book Sales-rooms and Art Galleries.—By LEAVITT, STREBEIGH & CO., TUESDAY EVENING, June 7, at 7½ o'clock, sale of a PRIVATE LIBRARY, comprising a very CHOICE and FINE COLLECTION of BOOKS in handsome bindings.
Catalogues ready. Books on exhibition.

ADRIAN H. MULLER, Auctioneer.
SALE BY ORDER OF THE QUARANTINE COMMISSIONERS.—ADRIAN H. MULLER, P. R. WHITLOCK & CO. will sell at auction, on WEDNESDAY, June 15, at 12 o'clock M., at the wharf of the New-York Warehouse Company, Red Hook, by order of the Quarantine Commissioners, the hulk of the *Falcon*, lately used as a boarding-station in the Lower Bay.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of the City of New-York that, pursuant to the provisions of the act entitled "An act to authorize the construction of a railroad in One Hundred and Twenty-fifth-street, and in certain other streets and avenues in the City of New-York," passed April 22, 1870, they will sell at public auction, in the Governor's Room at the City Hall, in said City, on MONDAY, July 18, 1870, at 12 M., to the highest bidder for the same, the right, privilege and franchise to construct, operate by animal power, and use a railroad with a single or double track as hereinafter provided, and to convey passengers thereon for compensation, through, upon and along the following streets or avenues, route or routes, in the City of New-York, viz.: Commencing on the North or Hudson River, at the foot of One Hundred and Thirtieth-street; thence through and along One Hundred and Thirtieth-street, with a double track, to Manhattan-street; thence through and along Manhattan-street, with a double track, to One Hundred and Twenty-fifth-street; thence through and along One Hundred and Twenty-fifth-street, with a double track, to the East or Harlem River; also, from One Hundred and Twenty-fifth-street, thence through and along the Third-avenue, with a double track to the Harlem Bridge; also, from the Third-avenue, thence through and along One Hundred and Thirtieth-street, with a double track, to the Harlem River; also, from One Hundred and Twenty-fifth-street at its intersection with Tenth-avenue; thence northerly through and along Tenth-avenue, with a double track, to the terminus of said Tenth-avenue, together with the necessary connections, turnouts and switches, for the proper working and accommodation of the said railroad, on the said streets or avenues, route or routes, said road to be completed within two years from the passage of said act, except upon and along Tenth-avenue, and upon and along said avenue as far as the same shall be opened, graded and paved, from One Hundred and Twenty-fifth-street. Such sale will be conducted in the ordinary manner of sales at auction, and the person or corporation who shall offer to pay into the City Treasury the largest sum of money for such right, privilege, or franchise, shall receive from said Commissioners a certificate that he or they is or are entitled to such grant, and are authorized to construct, operate and use the same in accordance with the provisions of the said act; such certificate to be issued on the payment, within ten days, into the City Treasury of the amount of the bid and of the execution of a bond to the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New-York, in the sum of two hundred and fifty thousand dollars, in two good and sufficient sureties, to be approved by the Controller of said City, conditioned that the person or corporation receiving such certificate shall, within two years, finish and complete said road and equip the same with the requisite number of cars and horses, except along Tenth-avenue, as aforesaid; but should he, or they, be restrained or prevented by any legal proceedings from completing and constructing the same, the time for which they are so restrained shall not be deemed or taken to be part of the time within which the same is to be completed. The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund are authorized and reserve the right to reject any bid, if, in their judgment, it is not for the interest of the City that they should do so, and offer the franchise for re-sale. A copy of the Act of the Legislature under which this sale is to be made, can be procured at the Finance Department.—Dated, New-York, June 1, 1870.
A. OAKEY HALL, Mayor.
RICHARD B. CONNOLLY, Controller.
JOHN J. BRADLEY, Chamberlain.
JOHN K. HACKETT, Recorder.
JOHN JOODE, Chairman Finance Committee, Board of Aldermen.
NICHOLAS HAUGHTON, Chairman Finance Committee, Board of Assistant Aldermen,
Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF GOVERNMENT, STATE, AND RAILROAD BONDS.
In pursuance of the terms of a certain trust, to be executed by me, I will receive sealed bids until the 16th day of June, 1870, at 2 o'clock P. M., for the sale of the following bonds, viz.: $50,000 United States five-twenties; $42,000 Tennessee sixes, new, and $100,000 Fredericksburg and Gordonsville Railroad Company. All proposals must be for an amount of $5,000 (par value) or more, and must be accompanied by a satisfactory guarantee that the bid will be made good if accepted. The name of the bidder and guarantor must be plainly indorsed on the outside of the sealed envelope. Bids will be opened in presence of bidders at 3 o'clock P. M., June 16, 1870.
Pamphlets, maps, and other information as to the value of the above named railroad bonds may be obtained from DRAKE BROS., No. 16 Broad-st.; ISAAC SMITH, President Metropolitan National Bank; JUSTICE LAWRENCE, President Continental Life Insurance Company, or from the undersigned.
G. HILTON SCRIBNER, Trustee,
Empire Life Insurance Company, 139 Broadway.

BILLIARDS.

PHELAN & COLLENDER
Manufacturers of
STANDARD
AMERICAN BILLIARD TABLES.
WAREROOMS AND OFFICE,
NO. 738 BROADWAY, NEW-YORK.

BANKRUPT NOTICES.

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE—THAT ON the 30th day of May, A. D. 1870, a warrant in bankruptcy was issued against the estate of THOMAS R. LEAVITT, of the City of New-York, in the County of New-York and State of New-York, who has been adjudged a bankrupt, on his own petition; that the payment of any debts and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt, to him, or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him, are forbidden by law; that a meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt, to prove their debts, and to choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at No. 152 Broadway, in the City of New-York, before Mr. Henry Wilder Allen, Register, on the 22d day of June, A. D. 1870, at 11 o'clock A. M.
GEORGE H. SHARPE,
United States Marshal, as Messenger Southern District of New-York.

DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW-YORK.—In the matter of MICHAEL T. FOLEY, Bankrupt.—In Bankruptcy.—A warrant in bankruptcy has been issued by said Court against the estate of Michael T. Foley, of New-York City, of the County of New-York, of the State of New-York, in said district, adjudged a bankrupt upon the petition of his creditors, and the payment of any debts and the delivery of any property belonging to said bankrupt, to him or to his use, and the transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law. A meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt, to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy to be holden at No. 7 Beekman-st., corner of Nassau-st., Room No. 3, in the City of New-York, in said district, on the 16th day of June, A. D. 1870, at 12 o'clock M., at the office of James F. Dwight, Esq., one of the Registers in Bankruptcy of said Court. GEORGE H. SHARPE,
Marshal—Messenger.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New-York.—In the matter of GEORGE H. PETRIE, CHARLES M. CARPENTER, JOHN H. MCKEE, and STEPHEN H. PETRIE, bankrupts.—In Bankruptcy.—Before Mr. Henry Wilder Allen, Register in Bankruptcy.—Southern District of New-York, ss.—At the City of New-York, the 18th day of May, A. D. 1870.—To whom it may concern: The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as assignee of George H. Petrie, Charles M. Carpenter, John H. McKee and Stephen H. Petrie, of New-York, in the County of New-York and State of New-York, within said District, who have been adjudged bankrupts upon the petition of the said George H. Petrie, Charles M. Carpenter, and John H. McKee, by the District Court of said district. WM. H. GUION, Assignee,
m23-1aw3wM No. 63 Wall-st.

IN BANKRUPTCY.—DISTRICT OF NEW-Jersey, ss.—At Jersey City, the 4th day of June, A. D. 1870.—The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as assignee of CHARLES H. FRANKLIN, of Paterson, in the County of Passaic, and State of New-Jersey, within said district, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on creditors' petition by the District Court of said district. To whom it may concern. A. Q. CARRETSON, Assignee.
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NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT.—NOTICE is hereby given that JAQUES CORTETYON, of the Township of Franklin, in the County of Somerset and State of New-Jersey, hath this day made an assignment to the subscriber of his estate for the equal benefit of his creditors, and that the said creditors must exhibit their respective claims under oath or affirmation within the term of six months.—Dated May 5, 1870. ABRAHAM J. CORTETYON,
Assignee.

DRY GOODS.

SUMMER AND SEA-SIDE SHAWLS, AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES.
BAREGE, CHALLIE, SHETLAND, GRENADINE AND OTHER VARIETIES IN SUMMER SHAWLS,
RANGING FROM $2 AND UPWARD.
The latest novelty in SEA-SIDE WRAP, REVERSIBLE "FORMOSA" SHAWLS AND BOURNOUS.
ARNOLD, CONSTABLE & CO., BROADWAY, CORNER 19TH-ST.

REDUCED PRICES IN SUMMER DRESS GOODS.
ARNOLD, CONSTABLE & CO. will offer on MONDAY, June 6,
ENGLISH LAWNS at 20c. per yard.
FRENCH PRINTED JACONETS at 25c. per yard.
FRENCH PRINTED ORGANDIES at 30c. per yard.
STRIPED AND FIGURED GRENADINE BAREGES, 20c. and 25c. per yard.
GAUZE CHAMBRAIS, $1 50 per yard, (value $2 50.)
BAYADERE and PLAIN GRENADINES, SHADE TO MATCH, at 60c. per yard.
STRIPED SUMMER POPLINS at 25c. and 30c. per yard.
ELASTIC CRETONNE SUITS, a new and beautiful article.
RICH PLAIN AND FANCY DRESS GOODS, in ROBES and by the yard, at
EQUALLY LOW PRICES.
BROADWAY, CORNER 19TH-ST.

CHEAP SUMMER SILKS.
ARNOLD, CONSTABLE & CO. will offer on MONDAY, June 6,
200 pieces FANCY CHECKED and STRIPED SILKS at $1 25 per yard, (value $1 75.)
150 pieces PLAIN CHANGEABLE SILKS at $1 50 per yard, (value $2 50 and $2 75.)
Together with a fine stock of MEDIUM and RICH QUALITY BLACK and COLORED LYONS SILKS, of the BEST MAKES, at EQUALLY LOW PRICES.
BROADWAY, CORNER 19TH-ST.

CARPET AND UPHOLSTERY DEPARTMENT, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.
ARNOLD, CONSTABLE & CO., BROADWAY, CORNER 19TH-ST.
FRESH IMPORTATION OF
ENGLISH TAPESTRY BRUSSELS AT $1 25 PER YARD.
5-FRAME BRUSSELS AT $2 PER YARD.
FRENCH MOQUETTS AND AXMINSTERS.
ENGLISH 3Q PLY AND HEMP CARPETINGS.
THREE-PLYS, INGRAINS, VENETIANS, &c.
OIL-CLOTHS, MATTINGS, in fancy red-checked and white, AT VERY LOW PRICES.
CURTAIN MATERIALS, FURNITURE COVERINGS, TABLE AND PIANO COVERS, LACE AND NOTTINGHAM CURTAINS, WINDOW HOLLANDS, SHADE FIXTURES, SPRING AND WIRE MATTRASSES, &c.
N. B.—Cabinet-makers and Upholsterers' attention is called to the above stock, offering great inducements. Hotels, steamers

THE CITY WITHOUT A SABBATH.

The Results of Repealing the Old Excise Law Made Apparent.

Great Increase of Disorder—Knives, Revolvers and Slung Shots in the Hands of Drunken Men—Stabbing and Shooting—Minor Offences—A Startling Record.

Yesterday was remarkable for the number of assaults, robberies, and other crimes, that were committed in this City, the new Liquor law proving the principal cause of this sudden increase in the disorder and crime coming to the knowledge of the Police. We present the simple record of the day; the facts speak for themselves.

At 12½ o'clock yesterday morning JOHN MCNESPIE, aged eighteen, was found at the corner of Greene and Grand streets suffering from a severe stab wound in the right hip, which he had received at the hands of a strange man. He was cared for by the Police and sent home.

At an early hour yesterday morning as DAVID F. LILLIO, of No. 447 Canal-street, was standing in that street, near Sullivan, he was suddenly assaulted by EDWARD CARPENTER and a confederate, who knocked him down and robbed him of $7. CARPENTER was arrested soon after, and when brought before Justice SHANDLEY, at Jefferson Market, was remanded for trial. The other highwayman made good his escape.

JAMES MCCARTY and JOHN COLLINS were arrested early yesterday morning in the Fourth Ward for disorderly conduct, and when searched at the station-house each was found in possession of a slung-shot. Both were arraigned before Alderman MOORE, at the Tombs, and remanded for trial.

JOHN MAY committed an assault upon JOHN S. O'CONNER, of No. 78 Crosby-street, a printer, who was severely wounded on the head. The affray occurred in New-Chambers-street, and O'CONNER is at Bellevue Hospital. Alderman MOORE held MAY for trial on the complaint of Officer MAHONY.

ARCHIBALD M. CRAIG was arraigned before Alderman MOORE, yesterday, at the Tombs, on a charge of committing an assault upon and robbing MICHAEL CONNOR, of No. 102 Cherry-street. CONNOR was mending a lock on his door when the prisoner and another man came up, knocked him down, and stole from him a watch and $20 in money. The prisoner was fully committed for trial. The confederate was not arrested.

Officer GRIER, of the Twenty-ninth Precinct, saw HENRY DUFFY acting in a suspicious manner early yesterday morning at the corner of Seventh-avenue and Nineteenth-street, and DUFFY ran into an adjoining yard he was arrested. In the possession of the prisoner were found several ingenious burglar tools, and $600 worth of silks, ribbons, and other fancy goods, which had been stolen from the store of ALBERT RICH, at No. 303 Sixth-avenue. A padlock had been broken on a side door, and entrance thus obtained. When DUFFY was arraigned before Justice SHANDLEY at Jefferson Market he was fully committed for trial without bail.

FREDERICK SENEZAR, of No. 416 East Thirteenth-street, caused the arrest of CATHARINE FRENZ, yesterday, on a charge of larceny. He had met the woman in the street and accompanied her to a saloon, where his wallet, containing $45, suddenly disappeared. Justice SHANDLEY held CATHARINE for trial.

ANTHONY HELLERT was arraigned before Justice SHANDLEY yesterday on a charge of having assaulted WM. BALDOCK, and severely stabbing him in the groin and breast with a knife. As Mr. BALDOCK is in Bellevue Hospital and unable to appear in Court, the Magistrate took the affidavit of Officer WM. IRVING, of the Twentieth Precinct, who made the arrest, and had conferenced with the injured man. He testified that BALDOCK had fully identified HELLERT as the assailant, and he was accordingly remanded.

JOHN CURRIN, a Canadian, aged forty-two, residing at No. 39 Oak-street, returned home, yesterday morning, intoxicated. After being in the hour or two, he dressed himself and went to a rear room, where a woman named MARY HAYNES was sleeping. He awoke MARY, with whom he was boarding, and began abusing her in an outrageous manner, with the intent of provoking a quarrel. The woman got up and was dressing herself with the intention of leaving the house, as she was afraid of CURRIN. The ruffian then attacked her with a large knife and stabbed her in the breast, jaw and left arm, all the wounds being of a dangerous nature. The assailant was arrested, and on being arraigned before Alderman MOORE, at the Tombs, was remanded for trial.

Officer MICHAL HARRIS, of the Fourth Ward, arrested BRYAN DORSEY, a laborer, for intoxication and disorderly conduct. DORSEY resisted arrest, and, drawing a revolver, attempted to shoot the policeman. DORSEY was finally overpowered, and Alderman MOORE held him for examination.

A few minutes before 1 o'clock yesterday morning, Mrs. ANN BRADY, aged fifty-four, of No. 457 West Forty-second-street, was shot by JOSEPH FARRELL, a young man residing next door to her. There had been some trouble between FARRELL and CHRISTOPHER FREISE, the proprietor of a lager-beer saloon at No. 455 West Forty-second-street, where both resided, and as FARRELL came out of the saloon in an intoxicated condition, he drew a revolver and fired at FREISE. Owing to the drunken condition the bullet missed its object, and struck Mrs. BRADY as she came out of the house next door. The missile passed through one of her thighs, and lodged in the muscles of the other limb. Before the Police heard of the affair, FARREL managed to make his escape, and thus far cannot be found. The unfortunate woman was attended by a surgeon, who pronounced her wounds to be of a severe though not a fatal character. FARREL is said to be a brother of the man of that name who took so prominent a part in the draft riots of 1863, and as he is well known, will probably be soon arrested.

An altercation occurred yesterday morning in Leggett's Hotel, Chatham-st., between HENRY HEITNER and MARY SWEENEY, both of whom are employed in the hotel. HENRY stabbed MARY in the thigh with a large fork, causing a severe wound. He was arrested, and being arraigned before Alderman MOORE, at the Tombs, was remanded for examination.

In the Yorkville Police Court yesterday, before Justice BIXBY, MICHAEL CURRAN, of No. 66 Elm-street, charged DAVID BRAUN, who keeps a soda-water establishment at a corner of Third-avenue and Twenty-eighth-street, with snatching a pocketbook containing $18 from him on Saturday afternoon. CURRAN went into BRAUN's place and asked for a glass of soda-water, which was given him. He took out the pocket-book to pay for the drink, when, as he alleged, BRAUN snatched it from him and refused to give it back. BRAUN was held in $500 bail to answer.

The Strawberry Season.

The strawberry season may be said to be at its height just now, and thousands of baskets of the ripe and luscious fruit are being every day disposed of. The fruit-stands in both the Washington and Fulton Markets are constantly surrounded by a crowd of anxious buyers, and the venders drive a thriving trade. The berries first received in this market come from Virginia, and these are followed by the crop from Maryland, and subsequently by those from New-Jersey and Delaware. These latter do not generally come on the market in great quantities until about the second week in June, the bulk of the berry crop being previous to that time being the product of Virginia and Maryland cultivation. The raising of the strawberry is of late years exciting a much greater interest than it formerly did, and the promptness with which a good salable article of fruit will always find purchasers is leading many to pay special attention to raising it, and it proves to be a most profitable crop. The amount of money which is paid out annually during the season for strawberries in this City alone is not less than $500,000. The prices vary, of course, according to the character of the fruit offered for sale, and the earliness with which it is put upon the market. Today prices range from 20 to to 45 cents per basket. As the season advances, and the supply increases, the price gets to be less and less, as the use of the berry becomes less of a rarity and ceases to be regarded as a luxury. The berries come into market in small baskets, packed in all sorts of crates. Some of these baskets are square, some round, while the New-Jersey berry is to a very great extent sold in small common half-pint baskets. The Southern berries are put up generally in pint baskets, both square and round. The crop, this season, is abundant, said by the dealers in fruit to be the greatest that has been known in New-York for many years. Notwithstanding the great supply that has been put upon the market, consumers are anxious to get the fruit into their possession, and any one who visits the stands where the sales are made will be astonished at the big prices that are sometimes paid for the choicest qualities of berry. Although the stands are generally crowded with baskets early in the afternoon, by the time 7½ o'clock has arrived hardly a basket will be found unsold.

The morning business consists in wholesaling to the regular customers whose orders have been given in previously. The large dealers are generally fully employed during the earlier part of the day in shipping their goods. A very large proportion of these is sent to Boston, especially of the Southern berry, and enormous quantities are bought by hotel and restaurant keepers. When parties desire to buy, casually, half a dozen or more small baskets of berries, these are emptied into a larger one, on which a deposit is left by the purchaser, and means is thus furnished him for transporting his purchase. When this basket is returned to the dealer the deposit, fifteen cents, is paid back to the purchaser. The dealer is allowed by the grower, also, for the crates and baskets which he returns in good condition. The first installment of berries from New-Jersey was received on Saturday. The business is much larger, and far more capital is invested in it, take it all in all, than people generally imagine; and great as its proportions have become, every year adds to the traffic.

TEMPLE ISRAEL, BROOKLYN.

Celebration of the Festival of Pentecost—Interesting Confirmation Ceremony—Woman's Place in Judaism.

Yesterday forenoon the congregation worshiping in the Temple Israel, under the pastoral care of RAPHAEL D. C. LEWIN, Rabbi, met to celebrate the festival of Pentecost, in commemoration of the giving of the law to the ancient Hebrews, and to proceed to the annual confirmation of new members of the flock. This was the first annual confirmation that has been held in connection with this lately organized congregation. There were in all eleven candidates for admission—seven young ladies and four young gentlemen. The admission of women to an equal standing in the synagogue with men is a practice whose introduction has been owing to the Reformed School of Judaism, and to which the Orthodox section only give, as yet, a very partial adhesion.

The services commenced at 10 o'clock, with the usual festival prayers, after which the confirmation service was opened with the singing of the hymn "Odon Olam." The Rabbi then read the verses, one to seven, of the twelfth chapter of Ecclesiastes, beginning: "Remember now thy Creator in the days of thy youth." The march from MEYERBEER'S "Prophète" was next played, and the confirmants, who had been seated with their parents and friends, proceeded to the altar under the escort of the Marshals. The altar was tastefully decorated with flowers, and the lights in front of it were lit. The whole building was relieved by a profusion of floral wreaths, and generally presented a festive appearance. The confirmants having taken their places beside the altar, the Rabbi proceeded to ask them whether it was of their own free will that they were there to be confirmed. He continued by recapitulating the duties that they were to undertake. On his question being answered in the affirmative, he went on to bless them in these words: "Blessed be ye who cometh in the name of the Lord, we bless you from the House of the Lord." A short address was then delivered to the confirmants, setting forth the trials and temptations of the world, and the insidious character of the inroads of sin. They were next asked how they expected to be able to overcome these? They replied that their faith was in God, and they believed that if they tried to be good and virtuous the Divine Being would not forsake them. After an appropriate exhortation to Divine reliance, the Rabbi called on them to invoke the Divine blessing on the vows they were to undertake. A beautifully simple, affecting and appropriate prayer was then offered up by Miss CARRIE EINSTEIN on behalf of her fellow-confirmants. The Ten Commandments having been read, the festival service was here resumed, the Scroll of the Law was taken out of the Ark, and the proclamation of the Commandments recited in Hebrew from the twentieth chapter of Exodus, the confirmants, both male and female, participating in the opening and closing benediction. After a reading in Hebrew from the fourth chapter of the Book of Hakkuk, and a prayer in English for the Government of the country, the Scroll was returned to the Ark. The confirmation hymn, written by Mr. FELIX ADLER, and beginning "Praise ye the Lord our King," was then sung, after which the Rabbi proceeded with the confirmation service, putting the confirmants through a severe test in many questions, which were answered individually, the answers embodying the entire principle and ideas of Reformed Judaism. Three test questions were next put, as follows: "Do you firmly believe in the existence and unity of the Supreme Being?" "Do you firmly believe in a Divine revelation, and in the Messianic mission of Israel?" "Do you firmly believe in the immortality of the soul, and the accountability of man to God for his actions on earth?" To each of these the confirmants collectively replied, "I do." They were then called upon to recite a confession of their faith, including three articles in which the foregoing ideas were somewhat amplified. This having been done, the Rabbi told them that from the manner in which they had answered his questions, he believed that they were honest in their confession, and worthy of being confirmed. After dwelling impressively on the nature of the vow they had registered, he charged them in these words: "If your hearts fail you now, if there be the slightest doubt upon your minds as to the truth of the profession you have made, pause ere you bind yourselves to it forever, as sons and daughters of Israel, worthy of and prepared to undertake their solemn duty." The requisite assent having been given, they were told to repeat a vow which would make them members of the Congregation of Israel forever. The audience then rose, and the confirmants took upon themselves the solemn obligation. The Rabbi then declared them confirmed in these words: "And now in the name of Almighty God, I declare you duly confirmed in the religion of our fathers, the religion which, with the help of God and through the instrumentality of Israel, is destined to become the religion of the world. I acknowledge you as members of our race. I hail you by the honored title of Israelites; I acknowledge you as co-workers with us in our heavenly mission for God-inspired humanity; I welcome you as brothers and sisters in Israel, as chosen servants of God, whose good and holy name we praise now and ever more." The confirmants responded: "Holy, holy, holy is the name of the Highest, the whole earth is full of His glory."

The Rabbi next proceeded to deliver the confirmation sermon, based upon the passage in Isaiah, "The grass withereth and the flower fadeth, but the Word of our God shall stand for ever." He exhorted the confirmants to use well the season of their youth; telling them that it was only false religion which prohibited rational enjoyment, but warning them to beware of that excess which alone was criminal. He also dwelt upon the advantage of education, and to pay less attention to personal adornment than to the study of the Word of God, which endured forever. He referred to the fact that in the Judaism of Moses and Isaiah woman found her true place and dignity, and that it was only from the corruption of late years that she had been degraded. He stigmatized the Judaism which taught that woman was inferior to man as "false, ungodly, and unworthy of the name of religion." He told his hearers that the Messianic mission of Israel devolved upon them, and concluded by an eloquent exhortation to live worthy of it.

Each confirmant then received a benediction, the Rabbi laying his hands on their heads and blessing them after the old and solemn formula.

The festival service was next resumed and continued by the recital of some of the Psalms, and concluded with a general benediction.

The services throughout were of a most impressive character, and affected, several of the audience being very deeply moved. A number of Christians from Brooklyn and New-York were present, among whom was Miss EDITH O'GORMAN, the escaped nun.

In the absence of Mr. CAULFIELD, the regular organist, Mr. MORRIS ABRAHAMS, a talented amateur, presided at the instrument.

In the evening the newly-admitted confirmants, accompanied by their parents, called at the residence of Mr. LEWIN, No. 149 Dean-street, and one of their number, Master DOBBELN, presented the Rabbi with a pair of handsome silver gobiets, bearing the following inscription: "A token of remembrance from the confirmation class to the Rev. R. D. C. LEWIN, Brooklyn, 1870." Mr. LEWIN made a suitable reply, and a few hours were very pleasantly spent by those present.

It was announced at the conclusion of the forenoon service that a meeting would be held in the Temple Israel this evening, to consider the distressed condition of their brethren in Roumania.

A Century of Universalism in America—Sermon by Rev. Charles F. Lee, at Plimpton Hall.

Rev. CHARLES F. LEE discoursed before the members of the Universalist Church at Plimpton Hall, yesterday morning, on "1770—1870; Or, A Century of Universalism in America," selecting the following text:

"Arise, shine; for thy light is come and the glory of the Lord is risen upon thee."—Isaiah lx., 1.

The reverend gentleman spoke of the feelings of joy and happiness with which all members of the Universalist Church welcomed its first Centenary. One hundred years ago next September, an English brig bound for New-York cast anchor in a little inlet off the Jersey coast. A fog arose during the night, and the next morning it became so dense that the vessel could not with safety proceed on its course. This was no unusual occurrence in itself, yet from that apparently trivial incident has resulted a great and glorious event. On board that ship was the Apostle of Universalism, JOHN MURRAY, who was so persecuted as a heretic in his own land that he abandoned his avocation of a preacher, and resolved to bury himself forever in the fair young continent beyond the sea. In this apparently slight event the hand of God was plainly visable in the means He adopts for the propagation of His Church. MURRAY disembarked to ascertain the condition of the country of his future home, and meditating on his sad, unhappy life he approached a house in the forest, when a tall elderly man rose to greet him. This was THOMAS POTTER, rough and uncultured but noble of sentiment, generous of soul and full of godly emotions and godly endeavors. "Ah! friend," cried POTTER, "I am glad you have come; I have been expecting you a long time." MURRAY looked at him in wonder and knew not his meaning when the old sailor explained that he had built a meeting-house, but he had never found one to preach to his satisfaction. He was a believer in the redemption and he wanted a man to speak of Jesus Christ and his own salvation. Baptists, Presbyterians and Quakers had worshiped there, but they were too doubtful of Christ's love and did not realize his idea of the spirit of the Savior. But old POTTER was hopeful. One day he saw a ship at anchor and then his soul cried out that in that vessel was the person he had long expected—the only one who was to be the preacher in his house. This he explained to MURRAY, as he grasped his hand again and again in the exuberance of his joy. The latter doubted, and said his vessel would proceed on its course with the change in the wind, when old POTTER replied, "The wind will never change, Sir, until you have delivered to us the message from our God." MURRAY doubted, wavered, but finally acceded, and on the next Sunday, the 30th of September, 1770, was preached the first Universalist sermon ever preached in America. That was simple, indeed, in its beginning, but how grand in its result. His was an audience of unlearned and innocent hunters and farmers in all their primitive simplicity, and as he preached not partial salvation, but the God of love and redemption, he laid the foundation of that glorious church which is destined to be the future religion of this country. And now, after the lapse of one hundred years, their church was happy and prosperous, and promised still greater blessings for the future. It had flourished in spite of all difficulties; it had now one thousand churches, a million real believers, and several hundred preachers. What a grand result, and how inspiring in their efforts for the future. MURRAY, WYNCHESTER and WHITTEMORE had not toiled in vain. The reverend gentleman then referred to the great political events that occurred in this country for the past century; making particular reference to the revolution of 1775 and the recent civil war, and continued to say that the advent of Universalism to this country was an event second in importance to none. He admitted that all denominations were doing a noble work, but he confidently looked forward to the time when all would be united and believe in WYNCHESTER'S Confession of Faith—universal love and universal redemption. In conclusion the reverend gentleman countenanced united action and determination as the only means of enabling them to celebrate their second centenary under the same happy circumstances with which they celebrated their first.

A SHIP ON FIRE.

Extensive Conflagration on the East River—Loss $150,000.

At 10½ o'clock last night flames were discovered on board the Black Ball packet-ship *Wm F. Storer*, Capt. JAMES BRYANT, as she lay at her dock, foot of Beekman-street, East River. The fire originated in some unknown manner in the aft-hold, on the port side, among some 250 barrels of lard that had just been taken on board. Owing to the inflammable nature of this portion of her cargo, the flames gained rapid headway, and were in heavy volumes when the firemen arrived on the scene. So much space had been gained by the element that a second alarm was given and a new force of steamers called into requisition. The Police steam-boat *Metropolitan*, and the Fire steam-boat *Andrew J. Fuller*, were also notified of the fire, and in due time both vessels arrived, and contributed their quota of powerful streams for the effort to quell the flames.

So rapid was the progress made by the firemen that the hold of the burning vessel soon began to fill, and the bulk of water became so great that the doomed ship began to sink at her moorings, and keel over toward the dock. By dint of hard work the fierce torrent of flame between decks was kept under control, and it seldom made its appearance in the open air, though the entire vicinity was completely darkened by the black smoke that was constantly vomited from the opened hatchway. This rendered it quite hazardous for the Fulton ferry-boats to ply to and fro, and necessitated the use of the fog-horn, etc., to enable the pilots to make successful landings.

For over two hours the fire continued to retain partial possession of the ship, when the water thrown on board proved so great in that time that she settled in the bottom of the slip, the flames being confined to the upper between-decks. The valuables belonging to the Captain and other portable property were taken possession of by the Insurance Patrol, and handed over to the custody of the Police. The loss on vessel and cargo is roughly estimated at $150,000, equally divided, and upon which there is considerably insurance. The vessel is well known in our mercantile marine, and arrived in port from Liverpool on the 17th ultimo, and was receiving cargo prior to another voyage to Europe. As we go to press the flames are still burning, though under complete control.

LOCAL NEWS IN BRIEF.

NEW-YORK.

The Fourth Ward Police yesterday discovered CHARLES COHEN, aged thirty, lying in front of No. 264 Front-street, in an insensible condition. Death occurred soon after his removal to the Oak-street Police Station, and the body was sent to the late residence of the deceased, No. 216 William-street, where Coroner FLYNN will hold an inquest.

The Central Park meteorological report for last week sets forth the following facts and figures: Barometer, mean, 36.094 inches; maximum at 12 P. M., May 30, 30.342 inches; minimum at 6 A. M., May 29, 29.856 inches; range, .376 inch. Thermometer, mean, 64.2°; maximum at 5 P. M., June 4, 79.2°; minimum at 5 A. M., May 31, 55°; range, 24.2°. May 29, rain from 0 h. 0 m. A. M. to 8 P. M.; amount of water, .18 inch; June 3, rain from 6 A. M. to 9½ A. M.; amount of water, .03 inch; total amount of water for week, .21 inch. Distance traveled by the wind during the week, 806 miles.

The German singing society Schwaebischer Saengerbund of this City made a steam-boat excursion to Myers' Grove, Staten Island, yesterday. They started on board the barge *Walter Sands*, attached to the steam-boat *T. Riley*, from the foot of Barclay-street, in the forenoon, and returned to this City in the evening. Ladies and singers, music for dancing, and drinking-horns and everything else that could make the trip enjoyable, were on board.

The New-York General Singers' Union (Allgemeine Saengerbund) will hold their annual Whitmonday pic-nic at Jones' Wood today. There will be instrumental and vocal music on the occasion, and the latter will be given by the singers of about twenty German singing societies of this City and neighborhood. The New-York Turnverein will also participate in the festival.

The Department of Public Parks announces that, if the weather be fine, there will be music by the Central Park Band at Mount Morris-square today from 6 to 8 o'clock P. M. Musical entertainments will also be given on Tuesday in Tompkins-square, from 6 to 8 P. M.; on Wednesday in Washington-square, from 6 to 8 P. M., and on Thursday in Madison-square, from 6 to 8 P. M., should the weather be fine.

ALBEINUS BAMBRICK, aged eighteen months, disappeared on Saturday morning from the residence of his parents in Eighty-first-street, near Fourth-avenue. Yesterday morning the body of the child was discovered in the vault of an out-house, death having resulted from suffocation. Coroner KEENAN will hold an inquest today.

Messrs. TIFFANY & Co. have on exhibition the famous 100-guinea cup won by the yacht *America* in the regatta of 1851. It is well worth seeing. The yacht prizes made by this house for the coming season are the largest and most varied of any heretofore produced.

CORNELIUS POWER, aged twenty-nine, of No. 217 East Seventy-fourth-street, died suddenly yesterday from unknown causes. Mrs. JACKSON, colored, also died suddenly at One Hundred and Twentieth-street and First-avenue.

JOHN LEDDY, aged five years, yesterday had a foot crushed by car No. 62, of the Bleecker-street line, while he was running alongside of it. The driver was arrested, but discharged as he was not to blame.

ISAAC TAYLOR, aged two years, died yesterday at No. 367 Tenth-avenue, from the effects of injuries sustained by falling into a basin of hot water which had been left on the floor.

FRANK NOON, aged twelve years, was caught in the draw at Harlem Bridge yesterday afternoon, and had an arm cut off at the shoulder.

The Union Base-ball Club defeated the Irving Club, at Central Park, on Saturday, by a score of 33 to 11.

BROOKLYN.

The Church of St. Mary of the Immaculate Conception, (Father MCDONALD'S,) corner of Leonard and Remsen streets, Brooklyn, E. D., was well filled at the last mass yesterday.

MOZART'S Grand Twelfth Mass, with full orchestral accompaniment, was most superbly rendered by the choir, which consists of the following artists: Mme. ANNIE REEDE, soprano; Misses CARNEY and BALDWIN, contralto; Herr BURGROFF, basso; and Herr ZOTT, organist. The young ladies of the Sodality, numbering some thirty or more, assisted in some of the passages, and altogether formed a very efficient chorus. In the Credo, the solo "Et Incarnatus" was most artistically executed by Mme. BALDWIN. The other parts were likewise in keeping with the requirements of the piece.

About 2 o'clock yesterday morning JUDITH O'BRIEN, fifty-four years of age, residing at No. 208 Amity-street, fatally injured herself by jumping from the fourth story window of her dwelling. She was partially insane.

About 12½ o'clock yesterday morning an old gentleman named JOHN KRIENAN, while passing the junction of North Second and Fifth streets, was attacked by a gang of loafers and severely wounded about the head by blows from a slung-shot. His cries brought a policeman to his assistance, who pursued the assailants and captured one of them named JOHN GORMLEZ. Dr. GREANER attended the wounded man.

About 9 o'clock last evening, on Wolcott-street, near Richard, FREDERICK BRADLEY stabbed RICHARD MCCORMACK in the back with a pocket-knife. They had been drinking together, and had quarreled about some unimportant matter. Dr. MCCAULLEY attended MCCORMACK, and had him taken to his home.

LONG ISLAND.

A large concourse of people assembled Saturday evening at the saloon of Mr. MEHERING, at Breslau, to celebrate the completion of the frame of the principal hotel of the City of Breslau, which was successfully raised on Saturday afternoon. The hotel is situated at the corner of Wellwood and Hoffman avenues; is to be three stories high, 42 by 32 feet, with an extension of the same height 24 by 20 feet. The parlors are to be 25 feet square, and the dining-room, 32 by 20 feet, will accommodate about sixty guests. A large observatory will be on the top, from which a view may be obtained of Great South Bay. Fire Island beach and the ocean beyond. The hotel will be finished July 1. A grand supper was provided by Mr. MEHERING, the proprietor of the hotel, and after a number of speeches and toasts, the affair wound up with a grand display of fire works.

* Candidates for the Democratic nomination for Congress in the First Congressional District are being brought forward. Suffolk County papers advocate the claim of HENRY A. REEVES, the present incumbent, while most of the Queens County Democracy advocate the nomination of Hon. E. A. LAWRENCE, present Chairman of the Queens County Board of Supervisors.

A new station has been made on the Great Neck branch of the Flushing and Northside Railroad, about half a mile east of Little Neck Station. The new station takes the name of Little Neck, and the old station called by that name will be known as Douglaston, in honor of the owner of the yacht *Sappho*, who resides near that station. A depot has been erected by Mr. BENJ. WOOLLEY, at a cost of $1,500, 16 by 26 feet, two stories, with a 75 feet platform. All trains on the branch will stop at Little Neck, and only the 10½ and 6 P. M. trains from Hunter's Point, and 7:05 A. M., 1 and 7½ P. M. from Great Neck, stop at Douglaston.

The Good Templars of Connecticut have resolved on an excursion to Greenport on or about July 29. The Divisions of New-London, Toland and Windham counties, will leave New-London at 9½ A. M., on the steamer *City of Lawrence*. Those from Hartford County and towns on the Connecticut River will leave Hartford at 7½ A. M. on one of the steamers of the New-York and Hartford line, and the Divisions from New-Haven and Naugatuck Valley will leave New-Haven at 9 A. M., with Bridgeport Divisions, and those from western Connecticut, will leave Bridgeport at 8½ A. M. A mass Temperance Convention will be held in the afternoon and a return moonlight ride on the Sound in the evening. Great preparations are being made by the Greenport Lodges of G. T. and S. of T. to welcome the Connecticut excursionists.

More than a year ago, it was discovered that a clerk in Flushing Post-office had been opening letters and abstracting money. The clerk was promptly arrested and bound over for trial. Last January the bondsman gave the accused up, fearing that he intended to run away. Since that he has been confined in Raymond-street Jail, Brooklyn.

The formal opening of the Sag Harbor branch of the Long Island Railroad will take place on Wednesday. A special train will leave Hunter's Point at 9 A. M. and return in the evening. GEORGE W. QUINTARD is Chairman of the Committee of Arrangements.

NEW-JERSEY.

About 11¾ o'clock on Saturday night a Police officer, while patroling his beat in the neighborhood of Sussex-street, Jersey City, was accosted by a young man and woman, who anxiously inquired for the residence of Rev. Mr. MATSON, as they needed his sacerdotal services to be legitimately made twain of one flesh. They further informed the wondering officer that they had interviewed several clergymen within an hour with the same intent, but all declined owing to the inopportune hour, utterly regardless of the superstitious scruples and fears of the bridegroom, who placed implicit reliance in the divination of an old crone, who, he said, had predicted unexpected woe on the nuptials if not solemnized before midnight. The policeman directed the quaint lovers to the residence of Rev. Mr. MATSON, an Episcopal clergyman on Sussex-street, where happily they found him and prevailed upon him to unite them till death doth them part.

WALTER SCOTT was arrested in East Newark, yesterday, on a warrant issued by Justice GREEN upon a charge of incest with his daughter, a girl eleven years old. The outrage was committed on Saturday evening in an open lot. The warrant was issued on the affidavit of the child, and SCOTT was committed to Hudson County jail yesterday at 3 P. M.

Mrs. ANNIE HOLMES, on Saturday night, either fell, or threw herself down, a steep precipice at Hudson City. She was found by policemen, and conveyed senseless to the Jersey City Hospital. There are no hopes of her recovery.

WILLIAM EAGLES, a lad ten years of age, was drowned on Saturday evening while bathing in the Passaic River, near REYNOLD'S boat-house, in East Newark.

HENRY ZIMMERMAN, a resident of Union Hill, yesterday shot himself accidentally through the left hand while out on a shooting excursion.

The store of WM. J. ASCHENBACK, on Springfield and South Orange streets, was burned on Saturday night. Loss, $5,000.

FOREIGN MARKETS.

LONDON, June 4.—The market for American Securities and Stocks opened steady and closed quiet. The course of the market during the day is shown by the following table:

	11½ A. M.	2 P. M.
Consols for money	92⅜	92⅜
Consols for account	93	93
U. S. 5-20s of 1865	89⅛	89⅛
U. S. 5-20s of 1865, old	88⅜	88⅜
U. S. 5-20s of 1867	90⅛	90⅛
U. S. 10-40s	86⅛	86⅛
Illinois Central Railroad Shares	110	110
Erie Railroad Shares	18⅛	18⅛
Atlantic and G. W. R. R. Shares	29⅛	29⅛

PARIS, June 4—2 P. M.—The Bourse opened quiet. Rentes, 74f. 72c.

FRANKFORT, June 4.—United States Five-twenty Bonds opened firm, but quiet.

LONDON, June 4.—SUGAR, 27s. ℔ cwt. for No. 12 Dutch Standard afloat. Fine RESIN quiet. HOPS dull.

LIVERPOOL, June 4—2 P. M.—COTTON. The market opened and closed dull. Middling Uplands opened at at 10⅝d. @10⅞d., and closed at 10⅝d.; Middling Orleans opened at 11d. and closed at 10¾d. @11d. The sales of the day have been 8,000 bales, including 1,500 bales for speculation and export. BREADSTUFFS—Wheat quiet and steady. Flour, 21s. 6d. ℔ bbl. for Western Canal. CORN, dull.

HAVRE, June 4.—COTTON opened flat; Tres Ordinaire on the spot, 123f. ℔ cwt.; Low Middlings, 123f. ℔ cwt.

ANTWERP, June 4.—PETROLEUM opened quiet and steady.

HAVANA, June 5.—The following were the prices of merchandise at the close of business, Saturday, June 4. SUGAR—All qualities slightly advanced with an improved demand and large receipts. Inquiry; exported during the week from Havana and Matanzas, 62,000 boxes and 3,500 hhds., of which 4,200 boxes and 2,200 hhds. were to the United States; Nos. 10 to 12 remain at 8¾@9¼ reals ℔ arroba. MOLASSES—Nos. 7 to 10 firm at 6¾@7¼ reals per keg. Muscavado SUGAR—Inferior to common firm at 7¼@7¾ reals; fair to good, 7¾@8 reals. Clayed MOLASSES, 6 reals; Muscavado Molasses buoyant at 6 reals. Stock of Sugar in the warehouses of Havana and Matanzas, 519,000 boxes and 28,000 hhds. FREIGHTS active, owing to the favorable advices of the Sugar market, and a rise is expected; ℔ box of Sugar to the United States, $1; ℔ hhd. of Sugar to the United States, $3 75@$5; ℔ hhd. of Molasses to the United States, $2 75@$4; ℔ ton to Falmouth and orders, 37s. 6d.@40s. BACON steady. BUTTER dull. COAL-OIL dull; in tins, 4¼ reals ℔ gallon. FLOUR quiet at $9@$10. HAMS declining, owing to the heavy arrivals; American salted, 25c.; American Sugar-cured, 27c. LARD quiet; in kegs, 20½c.; in tins, 22¾c. LUMBER—White Pine, the market is supplied; quoted at $27 50@$— M.; Pitch Pine steady at $27 ℔ M. TALLOW in demand at 12c. @12½c. SHOOKS—The market is supplied; Boxes quoted at 10½@11 reals; Hogsheads quoted at $2 25. Empty HOGSHEADS quiet at $3.

DOMESTIC MARKETS.

OSWEGO, June 4.—FLOUR active but unchanged; sales 2,200 bbls. at $5 75@$6 for No. 1 Spring; $6 50@$6 75 for No. 1 Winter; $7 25@$7 50 for White; and $8@$8 25 for Double Extra. WHEAT scarce and in good demand; sales 8,300 bushels No. 1 Milwaukee Club at $1 20; 3,000 bushels No. 2 Chicago Spring at $1 20; and 1,600 bushels Red Ohio at $1 30. CORN dull; sales 3,000 bushels Western at 95c. and car lots Choice at $1 02. OATS dull; sales 1,200 bushels Canada at 62c. RYE held at 85c., in bond. PEAS scarce. CORN-MEAL, $2 80 for bolted and $2 20 for unbolted. PORK, BEEF, LARD and WHITE FISH unchanged; Shorts, $19@$20; Shipstuffs, $24@$25; Middlings, $30@$33, ℔ ton. Canal FREIGHTS—Wheat, 8c.; Rye, 7½c., to New-York; Lumber, 4c@$4 25, to the Hudson, and $4 75 to New-York. Railroad FREIGHTS—Flour, to Boston, 63c.; to New-York, 48c.; to Albany, 46c.; Grain and Mill-feed, to Boston, $6 30; to New-York, $4 80; to Albany, $4 60. ℔ ton. Lake IMPORTS—46,000 bushels Wheat, 15,000 bushels Corn, 8,000 bushels Oats, 2,072,000 feet of Lumber. Canal EXPORTS—7,700 bushels Wheat, 8,000 bushels Corn, 22,000 bushels Peas, 11,400 bushels Oats, 3,748,000 feet of Lumber.

CHICAGO, June 4.—EXCHANGE weak and unchanged. FLOUR in good demand at $4 25@$4 50 for Spring Extras; $4 75 for firmer, but less active, at $5 00@$5 01 for No. 2; in the afternoon, the market was unsettled at $5 00@$5 01, seller, June. CORN quiet at 84¾c. for No. 2; in the afternoon, the market was irregular at 84¾c. seller, June, 84¾c. cash, seller, last half of June. OATS lower, closing at 49c. for No. 2. RYE quiet at 79c.@80c. for No. 2. BARLEY dull. HIGHWINES, $1 01 for wood-bound. PROVISIONS steady and firm; the market was quiet. Live HOGS active, at $8 20@$9 for Common to Choice. CATTLE quiet, at $5 65@$10 25 for Stockers to extra Prime Shipping Beeves. RECEIPTS—8,500 bbls. Flour, 80,000 bushels Wheat, 128,000 bushels Corn, 15,000 bushels Oats, 11,000 bushels Rye, 3,500 bushels Barley, 4,000 Hogs. SHIPMENTS—5,500 bbls. Flour, 90,000 bushels Wheat, 80,000 bushels Corn, 6,500 bushels Oats, 1,400 bushels Rye, 4,500 bushels Barley, 4,300 Hogs. FREIGHTS unchanged.

BUFFALO, June 4.—RECEIPTS—Flour, 4,500 bbls.; Wheat, 5,000 bushels; Oats, 1,300 bushels. SHIPMENTS—Wheat, 53,000 bushels; Corn, 8,000 bushels. FREIGHTS firm. FLOUR quiet, with an advancing tendency. WHEAT active and 3c. higher; sales 7,500 bushels Green Bay Club at $1 11¾, and 120,000 bushels No. 2 Milwaukee Club at at $1 10¾@$1 14, closing quiet, but firm; a portion of the sales were to arrive at $1 10¾@$1 12¾. CORN inactive; the market is bare of No. 2; 94c. is reported to have been offered for No. 2 Western, to arrive. OATS active and higher; sales 18,000 bushels Canada at 59c.@60c., on the track and in store; 40,000 bushels No. 2 Western at 57c.@57½c., to arrive, and 35,000 bushels do. at 57c.@58c., on the spot, principally at the inside quotation. RYE quiet at 90c. The market is bare of BARLEY. PORK dull and heavy; Mess, $20 50@$20. LARD, 16¼c.@17c. HIGHWINES dull at $1 05@$1 06.

PHILADELPHIA, June 4.—COTTON dull; Middling Uplands, 22¼c. Quercitron BARK unchanged. FLOUR very quiet; Superfine, $4 75; Extra, $5@$5 25; Spring Wheat Extra Family, $5 25@$6 25; Pennsylvania do., $5 50@$6 25; Indiana and Ohio do., $5 75@$6 25; Fancy, $7@$8 25. WHEAT held firmly; sales Indiana Red at $1 31@$1 33. RYE steady; State, $1 10; Western, $1 05. CORN unchanged. OATS dull at 61c. @63c. COFFEE steady; Rio, 15¼c.@17½c.; Laguayra, 18¼c., gold. SUGAR firm at 9¾c.@9¾c. for fair and good Refining Cuba. MOLASSES inactive; a cargo of Sagua Muscovado sold at 35c. PROVISIONS dull. MESS PORK, $20 50@20 75. LARD, 16c.@16¼c. PETROLEUM less firm; Crude, 19¼c.; Refined, 27c.@27½c. WHISKY steady; Western Iron, $1 08.

BALTIMORE, June 4.—COTTON dull; Middling nominally at 22c. FLOUR firm and in improved demand; Howard-street Superfine, $5 25@$5 25; Extra do., $5 50@$5 50; do. Family, $6 75@$7 25; City Mills Superfine, $5 25@$5 25; do. Extra, $6 75